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Prospective Eagle Scouts must also go before a board of review before being certified to receive scoutings highest rank.

Charles B. Baker was born in a two-room log cabin on a farm near Senath, May 2, 1894. He attended Normal School at Cape Girardeau, and at the age of 20 was teaching principal of the Senath Public Schools, at the same time managing a farm.

For many years his business interests have included farming, ginning and a variety of retail businesses, including farm implements, insurance propane gas and others.

Baker was the first president and organizer of the Kennett Chamber of Commerce. He is an active and longtime member of the United Methodist Church.

Youth has always been his favorite interest. He is a longtime member and past president of the Kennett School Board, has contributed in many ways to 4-H clubs, is an honorary chapter farmer of the Future Farmers of America and chairman ofthe Cotton Boll Girl Scout Camp Development Committee. He was a principal fund-raiser during the building of the Girl Scout's establishment of Camp Latonka.

Baker has been member of the Cotton Boll Girl Scout Board for a number of years and was one of the original and continuing sustaining members. He has been an executive board member of the Southeast Missouri Boy Scout Council since 1947, serving as camp development chairman for 20 years, from 1944-1964. He was a member of the National Council, BSA, for a number of years and a member of the regional executive committee, BSA, for years.

He has received numerous awards and recognitions, including: Outstanding Citizen in Kennett; Award of Merit from Central College at Fayette; Silver Beaver from Southeast Missouri Council, Boy Scouts of America; and Silver Antelope from North Central Region, Boy Scouts of America.

Baker has been married to the former Hattie Dial for 59 years, they have two daughters, five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. At an age when most men are inactive, Baker is still an interested citizen of an area he helped to shape.

The New Eagle Scout roster includes:

Okeechobee District — Joseph Booth, James Booth, and Michael Booth of Troop 43 in Sikeston; Tim McCain and Joe Dial of Troop 49 in Morehouse; Rodney Hartlein of Troop 41 in Sikeston; Timothy Adkisson of Troop 37 in East Prairie; and Thomas Schott of Troop 32 in Charleston.

Osage District — J. D. Prichard of Troop 366 in Naylor; Alan Williams, Brett Matthews and Jeff Myatt of Troop 167 in Poplar Bluff; and Donald Stewart and John Stein of Troop 366 in Poplar Bluff.

Sioux District — Jimmy Stevens of Troop 50 in Lilbourn.

Seminole District — Marc Hoskins and Jim Harris of Troop 97 in Steele.

Shawnee District — Roy D. Griffaw, Steve Hinton, Jeffrey A. Smith, Jeff Tygett, Greg Vandeven, Steve Tlapek and

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Filing deadline March 5

NEW HAMBURG — The Kelso- New Hamburg Consolidated School District No. 7 has set March 5 as the filing deadline for school board candidates seeking election in the April 6 school election.

Anyone interested in filing may contact Principal Wallace Alden at the school in New Hamburg. Board of Education members serve three- year terms.

The terms of Marcus Ressel and Melvin Glueck are expiring.

It's inside....

Scott City sets new minimum rate for water and sewer service. Turn to ... page 8A.

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.....and outside

Partly cloudy and unseasonably mild tonight and Thursday. Winds tonight and Thursday westerly 6-12 m.p.h. Low tonight near 40, high Thursday in mid 50s. Probability for precipitation tonight and Thursday 10 per cent.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Chance for showers about Saturday and continued mild Friday through Sunday; highs in 50s and lows around 40.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 62 and 53 degrees. Rain measured 2.29 inches.

Sunset today ..... 5:41 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow ... 6:44 a.m.
Moonrise tonight ... 9:34 p.m.
Last Quarter ..... Feb. 22

Spica is the bright star following the moon tonight. Tomorrow morning, the moon will pass in front of Spica and this occultation will be visible in the Pacific Ocean and South America.

No laughing matter to many

UFOs discussed at Dexter meeting

By FRANK WATSON

DEXTER— Don't laugh. It's a serious question: What can you do if you see an unidentified flying object? Flying saucers? Mysterious lights in the sky?

Nobody in the audience was laughing as Dr. Harley Rutledge, chairman of the physics department at Southeast Missouri State University in Cape Girardeau, discussed the subject recently at Dexter High School, where he spoke at a public meeting sponsored by the school Math, Engineering and Science Club.

Rutledge heads an ongoing study of unidentified lights over Southeast Missouri. The study has been titled Project Identification and has involved 25 or more persons.

The lights received much publicity in 1973, but little since that time. Rutledge said the lights are still with us, have been sighted within the city limits of Cape Girardeau andover Sikeston as well as rural areas and are still unidentified.

His position is what one would expect from a scientist and a professor: He is very cautious. And he is serious when he discusses the subject. He has a number of photographs of the lights.

Primarily, the pictures are time exposures of the lights. A few are impressive. One exposure on film turned out to be an intricate pattern.

"I have some perplexing things I can't explain," he said. "I can't vouch for the validity of somebody else's report." But his own sightings are plentiful.

At times, he said, the lights seemed to be playing "games" with him, vanishing just as he was about to press his camera shutter and then appearing again.

Are they man-made; perhaps some secret government project? Or could they be extraterrestrial?

What hypothesis have I got to explain what UFOs are?" he asked. "All we can do is set up several hypotheses and hopefully try to test them. The more hypotheses required indicates the more ignorance of the subject."

He said he has difficulty believing they are man-made. He rejects the idea that they are psychological: hallucinations or imagination. But he refuses to propose a definite opinion based on his own experience.

"We need more information," he stressed, "but they look pretty mysterious right now."

Rutledge first got involved in the study in 1973 and has been involved in the study since then. Part of the work is gathering information, including that supplied by area residents.

"If you see something that you believe to be a UFO, you could report it to Lewis Hux. I see him quite frequently," Rutledge said.

Hux is a science teacher at Dexter High School.

He also handed out forms to be filled out and returned to him at Southeast Missouri State University. "Don't be embarrassed," he urged. "If you've seen something, take one and fill it out. There may be something in this. Maybe we can get some clues this way. If something happens, we want to know about it."

The report forms are not simple affairs, but go into great detail. Besides date of observation and fellow witnesses, a great deal of other information is requested.

If a person thinks he sees a UFO, he should attempt to record: – Weather conditions and sky conditions.

– Location of the observer, including terrain and nearby buildings.

– If in a moving vehicle, the speed and direction of the vehicle.

– Description of the event, including colors, activity, sounds, motion, apparent size and estimated distance.

– Any other information which could be helpful.

If the observer cannot supply all the details, he should record as many as he can.

Some people – either professional or serious amateur photographers – always try to have a camera with them. Others sometimes are lucky enough to have a camera when an unexpected event occurs.

Rutledge advises anyone with an adjustable camera to open the lens as wide as it will go and

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Where to call

If you think you see an unidentified flying object, you can report it to the local authorities, and possibly be laughed at. Or you may contribute the information to a serious study being made of such phenomena over Southeast Missouri.

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Those receiving the Eagle award this winter completed their requirements during the past year. They were required to earn a certain number of badges and also to demonstrate their willingness to help others through various service projects.

Prospective Eagle Scouts must also go before a board of review before being certified to receive scoutings highest rank.

Charles B. Baker was born in a two-room log cabin on a farm near Senath, May 2, 1894. He attended Normal School at Cape Girardeau, and at the age of 20 was teaching principal of the Senath Public Schools, at the same time managing a farm.

For many years his business interests have included farming, ginning and a variety of retail businesses, including farm implements, insurance propane gas and others.

Baker was the first president and organizer of the Kennett Chamber of Commerce. He is an active and longtime member of the United Methodist Church.

Youth has always been his favorite interest. He is a longtime member and past president of the Kennett School Board, has contributed in many ways to 4-H clubs, is an honorary chapter farmer of the Future Farmers of America and chairman ofthe Cotton Boll Girl Scout Camp Development Committee. He was a principal fund-raiser during the building of the Girl Scout's establishment of Camp Latonka.

Baker has been member of the Cotton Boll Girl Scout Board for a number of years and was one of the original and continuing sustaining members. He has been an executive board member of the Southeast Missouri Boy Scout Council since 1947, serving as camp development chairman for 20 years, from 1944-1964. He was a member of the National Council, BSA, for a number of years and a member of the regional executive committee, BSA, for years.

He has received numerous awards and recognitions, including: Outstanding Citizen in Kennett; Award of Merit from Central College at Fayette; Silver Beaver from Southeast Missouri Council, Boy Scouts of America; and Silver Antelope from North Central Region, Boy Scouts of America.

Baker has been married to the former Hattie Dial for 59 years, they have two daughters, five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. At an age when most men are inactive, Baker is still an interested citizen of an area he helped to shape.

The New Eagle Scout roster includes:

Okeechobee District — Joseph Booth, James Booth, and Michael Booth of Troop 43 in Sikeston; Tim McCain and Joe Dial of Troop 49 in Morehouse; Rodney Hartlein of Troop 41 in Sikeston; Timothy Adkisson of Troop 37 in East Prairie; and Thomas Schott of Troop 32 in Charleston.

Osage District — J. D. Prichard of Troop 366 in Naylor; Alan Williams, Brett Matthews and Jeff Myatt of Troop 167 in Poplar Bluff; and Donald Stewart and John Stein of Troop 366 in Poplar Bluff.

Sioux District — Jimmy Stevens of Troop 50 in Lilbourn.

Seminole District — Marc Hoskins and Jim Harris of Troop 97 in Steele.

Shawnee District — Roy D. Griffaw, Steve Hinton, Jeffrey A. Smith, Jeff Tygett, Greg Vandeven, Steve Tlapek and

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Filing deadline March 5

NEW HAMBURG — The Kelso- New Hamburg Consolidated School District No. 7 has set March 5 as the filing deadline for school board candidates seeking election in the April 6 school election.

Anyone interested in filing may contact Principal Wallace Alden at the school in New Hamburg. Board of Education members serve three- year terms.

The terms of Marcus Ressel and Melvin Glueck are expiring.

It's inside....

Scott City sets new minimum rate for water and sewer service. Turn to ... page 8A.

The Sikeston Bulldogs survive long layoff to defeat Richland. Turn to ... page 10A.

Sixty-three savings and loan firms are listed as problem institutions. Turn to ... page 12A.

.....and outside

Partly cloudy and unseasonably mild tonight and Thursday. Winds tonight and Thursday westerly 6-12 m.p.h. Low tonight near 40, high Thursday in mid 50s. Probability for precipitation tonight and Thursday 10 per cent.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Chance for showers about Saturday and continued mild Friday through Sunday; highs in 50s and lows around 40.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 62 and 53 degrees. Rain measured 2.29 inches.

Sunset today ..... 5:41 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow ... 6:44 a.m.
Moonrise tonight .. 9:34 p.m.
Last Quarter ..... Feb. 22

Spica is the bright star following the moon tonight. Tomorrow morning, the moon will pass in front of Spica and this occultation will be visible in the Pacific Ocean and South America.

No laughing matter to many

UFOs discussed at Dexter meeting

By FRANK WATSON

DEXTER— Don't laugh. It's a serious question: What can you do if you see an unidentified flying object? Flying saucers? Mysterious lights in the sky?

Nobody in the audience was laughing as Dr. Harley Rutledge, chairman of the physics department at Southeast Missouri State University in Cape Girardeau, discussed the subject recently at Dexter High School, where he spoke at a public meeting sponsored by the school Math, Engineering and Science Club.

Rutledge heads an ongoing study of unidentified lights over Southeast Missouri. The study has been titled Project Identification and has involved 25 or more persons.

The lights received much publicity in 1973, but little since that time. Rutledge said the lights are still with us, have been sighted within the city limits of Cape Girardeau andover Sikeston as well as rural areas and are still unidentified.

His position is what one would expect from a scientist and a professor: He is very cautious. And he is serious when he discusses the subject. He has a number of photographs of the lights.

Primarily, the pictures are time exposures of the lights. A few are impressive. One exposure on film turned out to be an intricate pattern.

"I have some perplexing things I can't explain," he said. "I can't vouch for the validity of somebody else's report." But his own sightings are plentiful.

At times, he said, the lights seemed to be playing "games" with him, vanishing just as he was about to press his camera shutter and then appearing again.

Are they man-made; perhaps some secret government project? Or could they be extraterrestrial?

What hypothesis have I got to explain what UFOs are?" he asked. "All we can do is set up several hypotheses and hopefully try to test them. The more hypotheses required indicates the more ignorance of the subject."

He said he has difficulty believing they are man-made. He rejects the idea that they are psychological: hallucinations or imagination. But he refuses to propose a definite opinion based on his own experience.

"We need more information," he stressed, "but they look pretty mysterious right now."

Rutledge first got involved in the study in 1973 and has been involved in the study since then. Part of the work is gathering information, including that supplied by area residents.

"If you see something that you believe to be a UFO, you could report it to Lewis Hux. I see him quite frequently," Rutledge said.

Hux is a science teacher at Dexter High School.

He also handed out forms to be filled out and returned to him at Southeast Missouri State University. "Don't be embarrassed," he urged. "If you've seen something, take one and fill it out. There may be something in this. Maybe we can get some clues this way. If something happens, we want to know about it."

The report forms are not simple affairs, but go into great detail. Besides date of observation and fellow witnesses, a great deal of other information is requested.

If a person thinks he sees a UFO, he should attempt to record: -- Weather conditions and sky conditions.

-- Location of the observer, including terrain and nearby buildings.

-- If in a moving vehicle, the speed and direction of the vehicle.

-- Description of the event, including colors, activity, sounds, motion, apparent size and estimated distance.

-- Any other information which could be helpful.

If the observer cannot supply all the details, he should record as many as he can.

Some people -- either professional or serious amateur photographers -- always try to have a camera with them. Others sometimes are lucky enough to have a camera when an unexpected event occurs.

Rutledge advises anyone with an adjustable camera to open the lens as wide as it will go and

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Where to call

If you think you see an unidentified flying object, you can report it to the local authorities, and possibly be laughed at. Or you may contribute the information to a serious study being made of such phenomena over Southeast Missouri.

Address reports to: Dr. Harley D. Rutledge, Director, Project Identification, Department of Physics, Southeast Missouri State University, Cape Girardeau, Mo. 63701.

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I have never met a man who has given me as much trouble as myself.

Dwight L. Moody

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POINTERS FOR THE ACADEMY

When Congress passed legislation opening all the military academies to "female individuals," everybody knew the academies faced some real challenges.

But who would have guessed that one of the biggest challenges would involve the design of the "female individuals'" uniforms.

Well, actually, the deputy commandant at West Point says the challenge was not so much the uniforms but the female torso. Col. Hal Rhune says the uniform had to be trimmed and cut so the eight rows of buttons would maintain a horizontal look despite the bustline.

And Thomas Bowles of the clothing company which took on this assignment says, "The idea was to retain the traditional look, but the challenge was to make the woman look like a woman and yet also look like a cadet."

Cadets at the service academies are supposed to be well versed in mathematics, and since proportion is really a function of mathematics the solution to the design problem should not have been all that difficult.

Anyhow, everyone knows that a straight line is the shortest distance between two points.

It is obvious the military academies are broadening their knowledge through the new admissions policy. They are learning what the French call "la difference." Vive la difference!

Commercial Appeal

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Disgruntled film-goer to friend: "In my opinion, any movie without John Wayne is pornographic."

Chicago Tribune

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Fourth- grade Tommy forgot to bring to class the unusual flower he had promised to bring.

"I'm sorry," he apologized, "but I keep forgetting things."

"How long has it been like this?" I wanted to know.

Puzzled, he replied, "How long has it been like what?"

Edna Elsaser.

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APPOINTED ROUNDS

From the Amarillo (Texas) Globe- Times

There are times when we almost believe the U.S. Postal Service and other bureaucratic giants can muddle through almost any situation, can do just about what they want.

But we somehow doubt their ability to forward mail to the hereafter (actually we're not too sure of the here- and- now).

Recently we read, in regard to the new voter registration system, that if a person has died or moved, the country clerk will send a notice which is forwardable.

If the USPS is capable of forwarding mail to Heaven or Hell, we'd like to request a little better service here, too.

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THEY REVISED IT — BUT THE WRONG WAY

Millions of people in the nation have urged recently that the food stamp program be revised and eligibility rules changes.

Last week the Department of Agriculture did it ----

But exactly opposite to that which most Americans favored.

Instead of lowering the maximum income total in order to get stamps,the Department raised the figure.

The result will be more millions paid out by taxpayers to those who don't really need the stamps for necessities.

Congress should step in and force a sensible yardstick on eligibility. No one objects to providing food stamps for necessities, but they do object to providing them for people who are making enough to provide their own, and merely use the extra funds they get for the purchase of luxuries.

Paris Appeal

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The world is full of good people, but too often you do not find them when you need them most. But the opposite was true Tuesday evening of last week. The good person showed up just when we needed help. We had started to Paris and just reached WW when a tire went down. We have driven our car 24,000 miles in three years, and this is the first flat we have had. Getting out of the car to see for sure if the tire was down, here comes Floyd Million, and asks if he could help. We asked him to take us to the nearest house where we could call for someone to change the tire. He said that wasn't necessary because he would do it. Putting on the spare he lowered the car to the highway and then saw the air was out of the tire. So he took it off, drove back to Shelbina, got the air and came back to put it on the wheel for a second time. We tired to pay him but he wouldn't take anything. Of course we thanked him for we do not have the strength to change a tire. This is surely a good example of the Good Samaritan.

Shelbina Democrat

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YOU NAME IT

The foreman of the jury reported angrily to the judge that no agreement on a verdict was in prospect.

"The jury will have to continue its deliberation," said the magistrate. "If you haven't come to a decision by seven o'clock, I'll have twelve dinners sent in for you."

"If Your Honor doesn't mind," said the foreman, "I suggest that the order be changed to eleven dinners and one bale of hay."

F. G. Kernan

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MONSTER GETS NO RESPECT

Perhaps the world's best chance for a real monster lies in the depths of the Loch Ness in Scotland.

It is there, we would like to believe, that a strange and foreboding creature, a leftover from prehistory, dwells in dark anonymity.

For centuries, probably even before Beowulf, men have been sighting it. In modern times, scientists and laymen have spent days and even years trying to photograph it.

An American research team's pictures will be made public. Their original promise has been blunted somewhat by British Natural History Museum scientists who have seen them. They say the results are inconclusive.

So how do Scottish officials respond to this disappointing news? They worry about the effect it will have on tourism along the Scottish lake.

Swim deep, monster. The world doesn't deserve you.

Commercial Appeal

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RAPE OF THE CENTURY

Hardly a day goes by without a story breaking on something the Teamsters or some other union have done or planning to do that will affect this community in a detrimental manner. The Alaskan pipeline for example is going to cost about three times as much as first estimated. Why? Mostly because of the Union featherbedding and other concessions the contractors are forced to make to the Unions. There are many workers who have little to do but sleep all day in a bus and draw close to $1,000 per week salary. There are a lot of these highly paid featherbedders who are ex-convicts. There's nothing wrong with an ex-convict getting and holding a responsible job but the teamsters union seems to cater to the underworld characters. The crime rate in Alaska is clear out of control and the Alaskan government is helpless to control the soaring number of crimes. The unions know the country desperately needs this pipeline and again shows their power by telling the country that they either do things the union way or the pipeline won't be built. One of these days our gutless government officials will come to their senses and lower the boom on the outrages of these unions. The unions were a great thing for the country when first they came into existence but what they have done in the last two decades can be termed as the rape of the century.

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MAKES IDLERS OUT OF YOUTH

Often when a youngster gets into trouble or causes heartaches for parents or family members, the fault can be traced indirectly to our own government.

The old saying that an idle mind is the devil's workshop applies today.

Through state and federal laws governing employment of youth, it has become almost impossible at times to give any of them a job without jeopardizing the employer, or because the cost under minimum wage standards ti too great for the work done.

Many of those laws just simply are neither sensible nor reasonable.

Most people can recall when youngsters could get a job on a farm.

Today the farmer has to comply with laws or Hazardous Occupations, national Safety Laws, Fair Employment rules, Child Labor laws governing age at which a child can legally work for pay; pay a minimum wage, workmen's compensation, social security, etc., etc., etc.

It is no wonder the farm youth labor market has dried up, and children are no longer able to get a part time or seasonable job, no matter how much they may want to work.

Paris Appeal

"I said, 'Don't turn a deaf ear to progress!' "

TOMORROW FEBRUARY 19— THURSDAY

COPERNICUS, NICOLAUS: BIRTHDAY. Feb 19. Polish astronomer born, Torun, Poland, Feb 19, 1473, died, Frauenburg, E. Prussia, May 24, 1543.

GARRICK, DAVID: BIRTHDAY. Feb 19. English actor and playwright born Feb 19, 1717. Died Jan 20, 1779.

'LIGNITE LOUIE' WINTER FESTIVAL. Feb 19-22. Estevan, Saskatchewan.

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E. Stanley Jones: Nothing really matters now — except this one thing: He is alive forevermore!

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In our parish, a recent announcement in the community newspaper read: "The Ladies Auxiliary of St. John's parish recently announced that their new cookbook is just off the press and ready for sale. Part of the money will go to St. John's hospital to purchase a stomach pump."

Mrs. J. D. Dublin

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SOME THINGS ARE FOREVER

From the Chicago Daily News

BEST NEWS we've heard lately from New York is that, no matter what, a lot of people are still eager to get Mayor Beame's job.

A New York Times reporter who recently canvassed the situation found mayoral ambition abubble in Manhattan Borough President Percy E. Sutton, Rep. Herman Badillo of the Bronx, Rep. Edward I. Koch and state Sen. Roy M. Goodman, both of Manhattan, to name a few.

Sutton apparently spoke for all when he declared manfully: "I would not be chastened by what's happened now. Someone is going to run the city and I have the ability to bring it out of its doldrums."

How can a city fail with that kind of spirit? There will always, we are sure, be a New York, just as there will always be politicians eager to solve its problems and rescue its beleaguered people from a fate worse than Philadelphia.

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We set standards for drugs, because bad drugs cross state lines. Well, badly educated children cross state lines, too.

Adm. Hyman G. Rickover

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SO ... WHAT'S NEW?

Well, our President is off to another global jaunt, this time to China where he wasn't too well received. China's two top men were not present for the conference nor were they at the banquet in the president's honor. They were supposedly hospitalized. Ford was told in no uncertain terms that the United States should be careful in their dealings with Russia and let it be known that the Chinese are considerably cooler in their attitude towards the U.S. since our latest talks with the Soviets. Personally, we don't believe either of the two communists countries can be trusted and keep wondering why we feel a need to buy their friendship with low cost grain and monetary loans at ridiculous price and shipping arrangements. If President Ford planned this trip to make himself popular with the voters, then he has miserably failed for it appears that it is nothing but a pleasure jaunt that was unnecessary and another million or so dollars wasted. Ford could have made an acknowledgement to the Chinese warning about Russia by saying, "so ... what's new?

Shelbina Democrat

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The most important things in life .... aren't things!

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OURS IS A PECULIAR LANGUAGE

If the Aramaic and the Greek of the days of Christ contained words or abbreviations that had as many meanings as some in our language, it's no wonder there are so many ideas about what Bible statements ought to say when translated into English.

For instance, let's take the abbreviation "S.O.S."

Anyone who has ever been in the army knows it is an unprintable description of a certain food served in the mess halls.

To the sailor it means "Save Our Ship".

To the evangelist it means "Save Our Souls".

To the Izaac Walton League it means "Save Our Streams".

That should be another reason for spelling out our words instead of using so many abbreviations.

Paris Appeal

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UNDERMINING HUMAN WORTH

Reimbursement of prescription drug costs for Medicare and Medicaid patients has become a crucial issue in view of the proposed ruling of the Health, Education and Welfare Department (HEW) that payments be made on the basis of the "lowest cost" drugs generally available. Under such a ruling, a pharmacist would be compelled to provide a substitute drug if the medication called for in a physician's prescription failed to meet the low-cost criteria.

Commenting on the proposed ruling of HEW, the president of the Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association (PMA) observes the : "PMA has bluntly stated that such a government rush to cheapness would intrude on the professionalism of physicians and pharmacists, disrupt the drug distribution system, increase risks to aged and welfare patients, reduce incentives for quality and service competition in the drug field, and create administrative mechanisms that would cost more than they could possibly save." In an effort to assist in the development of a workable drug reimbursement program for Medicare and Medicaid patients, the PMA has submitted to HEW an alternative proposal to the "lowest cost" plan.

The drug industry program would consist of three parts: it would provide for getting meaningful price information to physicians; it would disseminate drug quality information to doctors to facilitate their selection of the lower-priced products of known quality; and it would establish a system of peer review of drug prescribing and dispensing to monitor the effectiveness and economy of government-sponsored prescription drug services. The idea of using "lowest cost" as a determining factor in choice of drugs for certain groups is repugnant in the extreme. It smacks of concentration camp tactics.

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A HARD MAN TO FIND

A couple wanted to get married but couldn't find a minister. Someone suggested they go down to the nearby nudist colony where they had a minister. The minister agreed to marry them but said they would have to disrobe like everyone else. Since they were going to get married anyway, it would be OK. So they disrobed. The minister then said he would need witnesses. A dozen or more came up. The ceremony finally began. The minister asked the man if he took this woman for his lawful wedded wife? He said: "I do." Then he asked the bride if she took this man to be her lawful wedded husband? She answered: "No. I'll take that one over there."

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HI THERE, HUBERT

From the Miami Herald

HUBERT HORATION HUMPHREY says that despite his surprising rating in the polls, he does not presently plan to run for president again next year—but he would not turn down a draft.

For Minnesota's most voluble player, a draft appears to be a post care from New Hampshire and a phone call from Duluth. See you next March, Senator.

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MY HUSBAND was an Air Force pilot, and on his last leave before going overseas I reminded him to keep his trust in the Lord no matter how bad the situation became. Upon his safe return a year later, my first grateful words were: I told you that God wouldn't let you down."

He grinned and said, "I know. But He sure left me dangling there a couple of times."

Rita Gregory

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Before filling the position of executive officer aboard a destroyer, a friend of mine was required to pass an extensive physical examination. The doctor was not satisfied with the electrocardiogram, and sent it on to a heart specialist.

Later, my friend got the good news by phone. The only reason for the strange electrocardiogram was that his heart is in a slightly different position from most. "Medically speaking," the doctor said, "you are a healthy specimen. In fact, you are going to make a perfect executive officer. Your heart is in the wrong place!"

D.J. Shoemaker

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My FIANCE, stationed at the March AFB Regional Hospital in California, was about to write some letters on the official stationery when he noticed something new had been added. The Air Force, in its eternal quest for a good image, had printed at the bottom of each sheet: "Peace Is Our Profession." But just below this noble cliche, on some 200 sheets, he found that an industrious typist had added: "War Is Just a Hobby."

Denna C. McMillan

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For a class in infantry tactics, a group of officer candidates at Fort Benning, Ga., sat on the ground in an open area of low rolling hills covered with scrub undergrowth. The lecture was on the placement of troops and weapons in various types of terrain. Throughout, one member of the group dozed peacefully.

Without warning, the instructor called the dozer's name. Nudged by a companion, he got to his feet in time to hear the instructor ask him to look around and give a terrain evaluation. The student gazed around in a rather confused manner and then proclaimed, "Well, ten dollars an acre would be about right."

John L. George

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Because I spent some time in the Navy prior to joining the Army, certain words used in everyday language have a nautical flavor for me. A friend and I chanced to observe a well-shaped girl sliding an envelope under an office door. Her curtsy-like maneuver, enhanced by the miniskirt she was wearing, won an appreciative glance from both of us. My friend commented, "That was a rather nice bow!" From my Navy background, the words came without thinking: "And a pretty neat stern, too!"

Maj. Edwin R. York

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THREE newly commissioned ensigns at the Norfolk, Va., Naval Base decided to mark their first evening's entertainment at the Officers Club, which stands in the midst of a row of colonial mansions. Upon entering, they were given a friendly greeting and made to feel at home by an older man whom they took to be the waiter. They chatted a bit, then ordered drinks, which the waiter hastened to obtain. Then one officer played the piano for the other two, while the waiter took his ease in an adjacent chair. After some time, the young men decided the club was a pretty dead place and called for the check. Whereupon the "waiter" coldly informed them that he was the District Commandant, and that he was not in the habit of charging guests for refreshments served in his living room!

Lt. Cmdr. Winston W. Cornelius

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During World War II, the old Willard Hotel in Washington, D.C., was a popular stopover for military personnel, and occasionally the management had problems with persons leaving with bills unpaid. After completing flight school in Florida, I hitched a ride to Washington on the first available Air Corps plane and went to the Willard. The clerk assigned me a room on the tenth floor.

"Any baggage?" he asked. "Only my parachute," I replied. After giving me a quizzical look, he said, "Change that to Room 203-on the second floor."

C. Freeman

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

No Tonto He:
Reagan hit by dirty tricks

NEW YORK — There are many attempting to cast Ronnie Reagan as half Lone Ranger and half Tonto -- Spanish for foolish and silly. Well, to invoke a script line of my friend John Wayne, I'm not exactly burning the leather to rescue ex-California Gov. Reagan. But objectively the record shows that those who strive to daub the former Screen Actors Guild president as a Neanderthal are playing what these days generically are called "dirty tricks."

There is lot more to Reagan than his philosophical and well-reasoned conservatism, which even the Earl Warren Supreme Court wouldn't have ruled illegal. During the '40s, when his income and career were well fixed, he fought his wan into the actors' guild leadership though this meant rough war with the invading Al Capone Chicago syndicate as well as with tough, disciplined, Communist cadres.

When Reagan made the Guild's board of directors he knew that the Mafia had moved into Hollywood, had shaken it down for $1 million and were all over the place. Hard fellows, these. Led by Capone and Louis Campagna's movie industry account executive, Willie Bioff. The latter's "partner" was the late George (Brownie) Browne, then a vice president of the International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employes (IATSE).

Willie or one of the Mafia killers had gone to Browne and told him, "Brownie, you either come with us or go to the lake." Browne went with them -- meaning hit and muscle men like Charles (Cherry Nose) Gioe who departed this world in 1954 when he caught his instant death of a cold from a hail of machine gun bullets.

Nonetheless, after a World War stint, Regan went on the Guild board in 1946. A year later, Guild president Bob Montgomery resigned and the 44-member board chose Reagan, despite skilled Communist factional opposition. Those Guild directors weren't patsies. They were bright. They wanted a literate leader with guts. Ask some of them who still are around. And despite a running fight with the Communist minority, Reagan was elected to succeeding terms through 1952. He was recalled to the presidency for the 1959 term.

Reagan fought on an intellectual level. During the many anti-Communist caucuses he displayed a knowledge of national and international politics. At one point he wrote a friend:

"We are violently opposed to indiscriminate Red-baiting but believe that every union in our country must awaken to the menace of Communist party members who are seeking to destroy our trade unions by boring from within."

He didn't suspicion everybody. When he testified before the House Committee on Un-American Activities in October 1947 he noted that the Communists controlled only 1 per cent of the Guild's membership.

A few years later the old CIO, with Arthur Goldberg as its counsel, got around to ousting 11 of its unions on charges of following the Soviet line to the detriment of American labor.

Reagan drew from his Guild presidency a knowledge of trade unions which equals or bests that of all U.S. presidential possibilities except for Sens. Jackson, Humphrey and Kennedy. In fact, Reagan chaired one of the first significant joint labor-management efforts, when he was chosen head of the 35,000-member Motion Picture Industry Council.

Reagan nursed on politics as president of his high school and college student bodies. Later he organized a Hollywood voters' league. He was on the board of the American Veterans Committee Hollywood chapter.

Labor leaders and political activists didn't think him a dolt then.

They knew he wrote much of his own political scripts just as he wrote his own "stuff" when he was a radio sportscaster.

He still works out some of his presidential campaign speeches. It matters not here whether or not one agrees with him. Point is whether the orgiastic upheaval against "dirty tricks" in recent years has any meaning or impact. Does this conservative Reagan have the same civil and political rights of a Sargent Shriver or Fred Harris? No one is following Ted Kennedy around, or the others, dressed in a chimpanzee shirt to mock them, as Ronnie Reagan is being harassed.

Why double-standard journalism? Why no criticism of the smear of a man running for the first prize? Or is the Pulitzer Prize more precious?

No one need subscribe to Ronnie Reagan's philosophy; nor his fiscal policies; nor his assaults on big government; nor his inflexible anti-Soviet position. Or one can accept them all.

Question is, can a conservative, not on the extreme, but still right-of-center, get an even break? This is the same Reagan who fought for much less fortunate members of his talent union. This is the actor whom the New York Times described as giving "sensitive" and dignified performances. Further he's an old newsman. And as for the labor movement, it must always bear in mind that ex-Gov. Reagan plays a good game of golf. How can George Meany discount such a man?

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS:
Red tape helps smugglers with LES WHITEEN

WASHINGTON— The State Department is so entangled in red tape that it has hampered the effort to stop drug smuggling.

For years, prodigious amounts of heroin, cocaine and marijuana have poured into the United Staes from Asia, Latin America and the Middle East. Each year, more than a billion dollars worth of "brown" heroin is smuggled across the border from Mexico alone.

To stem the tide, the U.S. has spent millions of dollars and assigned thousands of people. Yet project after project has been caught in the bureaucratic tangle at Foggy Bottom. Here are just afew examples:

– At one time, a United Nations team persuaded reluctant Thailand officials to allow an aeirial survey of their poppy fields. The State Deparment, incredibly, turned the idea down. Rep. Lester Woff, D-N.Y., one of the leading narcotics experts in Congress, pressured the bureaucrats to change their minds. But by this time, the Thais had changed theirs. The matter is still being negotiated.

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Dwight L. Moody

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POINTERS FOR THE ACADEMY

When Congress passed legislation opening all the military academies to "female individuals," everybody knew the academies faced some real challenges.

But who would have guessed that one of the biggest challenges would involve the design of the "female individuals'" uniforms.

Well, actually, the deputy commandant at West Point says the challenge was not so much the uniforms but the female torso. Col. Hal Rhune says the uniform had to be trimmed and cut so the eight rows of buttons would maintain a horizontal look despite the bustline.

And Thomas Bowles of the clothing company which took on this assignment says, "The idea was to retain the traditional look, but the challenge was to make the woman look like a woman and yet also look like a cadet."

Cadets at the service academies are supposed to be well versed in mathematics, and since proportion is really a function of mathematics the solution to the design problem should not have been all that difficult.

Anyhow, everyone knows that a straight line is the shortest distance between two points.

It is obvious the military academies are broadening their knowledge through the new admissions policy. They are learning what the French call "la difference." Vive la difference!

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Disgruntled film-goer to friend: "In my opinion, any movie without John Wayne is pornographic."

Chicago Tribune

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Fourth- grade Tommy forgot to bring to class the unusual flower he had promised to bring.

"I'm sorry," he apologized, "but I keep forgetting things."

"How long has it been like this?" I wanted to know.

Puzzled, he replied, "How long has it been like what?"

Edna Elsaser.

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APPOINTED ROUNDS

From the Amarillo (Texas) Globe- Times

There are times when we almost believe the U.S. Postal Service and other bureaucratic giants can muddle through almost any situation, can do just about what they want.

But we somehow doubt their ability to forward mail to the hereafter (actually we're not too sure of the here- and- now).

Recently we read, in regard to the new voter registration system, that if a person has died or moved, the country clerk will send a notice which is forwardable.

If the USPS is capable of forwarding mail to Heaven or Hell, we'd like to request a little better service here, too.

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THEY REVISED IT— BUT THE WRONG WAY

Millions of people in the nation have urged recently that the food stamp program be revised and eligibility rules changes.

Last week the Department of Agriculture did it ----

But exactly opposite to that which most Americans favored.

Instead of lowering the maximum income total in order to get stamps,the Department raised the figure.

The result will be more millions paid out by taxpayers to those who don't really need the stamps for necessities.

Congress should step in and force a sensible yardstick on eligibility. No one objects to providing food stamps for necessities, but they do object to providing them for people who are making enough to provide their own, and merely use the extra funds they get for the purchase of luxuries.

Paris Appeal

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The world is full of good people, but too often you do not find them when you need them most. But the opposite was true Tuesday evening of last week. The good person showed up just when we needed help. We had started to Paris and just reached WW when a tire went down. We have driven our car 24,000 miles in three years, and this is the first flat we have had. Getting out of the car to see for sure if the tire was down, here comes Floyd Million, and asks if he could help. We asked him to take us to the nearest house where we could call for someone to change the tire. He said that wasn't necessary because he would do it. Putting on the spare he lowered the car to the highway and then saw the air was out of the tire. So he took it off, drove back to Shelbina, got the air and came back to put it on the wheel for a second time. We tired to pay him but he wouldn't take anything. Of course we thanked him for we do not have the strength to change a tire. This is surely a good example of the Good Samaritan.

Shelbina Democrat

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YOU NAME IT

The foreman of the jury reported angrily to the judge that no agreement on a verdict was in prospect.

"The jury will have to continue its deliberation," said the magistrate. "If you haven't come to a decision by seven o'clock, I'll have twelve dinners sent in for you."

"If Your Honor doesn't mind," said the foreman, "I suggest that the order be changed to eleven dinners and one bale of hay."

F. G. Kernan

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MONSTER GETS NO RESPECT

Perhaps the world's best chance for a real monster lies in the depths of the Loch Ness in Scotland.

It is there, we would like to believe, that a strange and foreboding creature, a leftover from prehistory, dwells in dark anonymity.

For centuries, probably even before Beowulf, men have been sighting it. In modern times, scientists and laymen have spent days and even years trying to photograph it.

An American research team's pictures will be made public. Their original promise has been blunted somewhat by British Natural History Museum scientists who have seen them. They say the results are inconclusive.

So how do Scottish officials respond to this disappointing news? They worry about the effect it will have on tourism along the Scottish lake.

Swim deep, monster. The world doesn't deserve you.

Commercial Appeal

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RAPE OF THE CENTURY

Hardly a day goes by without a story breaking on something the Teamsters or some other union have done or planning to do that will affect this community in a detrimental manner. The Alaskan pipeline for example is going to cost about three times as much as first estimated. Why? Mostly because of the Union featherbedding and other concessions the contractors are forced to make to the Unions. There are many workers who have little to do but sleep all day in a bus and draw close to $1,000 per week salary. There are a lot of these highly paid featherbedders who are ex-convicts. There's nothing wrong with an ex-convict getting and holding a responsible job but the teamsters union seems to cater to the underworld characters. The crime rate in Alaska is clear out of control and the Alaskan government is helpless to control the soaring number of crimes. The unions know the country desperately needs this pipeline and again shows their power by telling the country that they either do things the union way or the pipeline won't be built. One of these days our gutless government officials will come to their senses and lower the boom on the outrages of these unions. The unions were a great thing for the country when first they came into existence but what they have done in the last two decades can be termed as the rape of the century.

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MAKES IDLERS OUT OF YOUTH

Often when a youngster gets into trouble or causes heartaches for parents or family members, the fault can be traced indirectly to our own government.

The old saying that an idle mind is the devil's workshop applies today.

Through state and federal laws governing employment of youth, it has become almost impossible at times to give any of them a job without jeopardizing the employer, or because the cost under minimum wage standards ti too great for the work done.

Many of those laws just simply are neither sensible nor reasonable.

Most people can recall when youngsters could get a job on a farm.

Today the farmer has to comply with laws or Hazardous Occupations, national Safety Laws, Fair Employment rules, Child Labor laws governing age at which a child can legally work for pay; pay a minimum wage, workmen's compensation, social security, etc., etc., etc.

It is no wonder the farm youth labor market has dried up, and children are no longer able to get a part time or seasonable job, no matter how much they may want to work.

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"I said, 'Don't turn a deaf ear to progress!' "

TOMORROW FEBRUARY 19— THURSDAY

COPERNICUS, NICOLAUS: BIRTHDAY. Feb 19. Polish astronomer born, Torun, Poland, Feb 19, 1473, died, Frauenburg, E. Prussia, May 24, 1543.

GARRICK, DAVID: BIRTHDAY. Feb 19. English actor and playwright born Feb 19, 1717. Died Jan 20, 1779.

'LIGNITE LOUIE' WINTER FESTIVAL. Feb 19-22. Estevan, Saskatchewan.

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E. Stanley Jones: Nothing really matters now — except this one thing: He is alive forevermore!

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In our parish, a recent announcement in the community newspaper read: "The Ladies Auxiliary of St. John's parish recently announced that their new cookbook is just off the press and ready for sale. Part of the money will go to St. John's hospital to purchase a stomach pump."

Mrs. J. D. Dublin

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SOME THINGS ARE FOREVER

From the Chicago Daily News

BEST NEWS we've heard lately from New York is that, no matter what, a lot of people are still eager to get Mayor Beame's job.

A New York Times reporter who recently canvassed the situation found mayoral ambition abubble in Manhattan Borough President Percy E. Sutton, Rep. Herman Badillo of the Bronx, Rep. Edward I. Koch and state Sen. Roy M. Goodman, both of Manhattan, to name a few.

Sutton apparently spoke for all when he declared manfully: "I would not be chastened by what's happened now. Someone is going to run the city and I have the ability to bring it out of its doldrums."

How can a city fail with that kind of spirit? There will always, we are sure, be a New York, just as there will always be politicians eager to solve its problems and rescue its beleaguered people from a fate worse than Philadelphia.

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We set standards for drugs, because bad drugs cross state lines. Well, badly educated children cross state lines, too.

Adm. Hyman G. Rickover

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SO ... WHAT'S NEW?

Well, our President is off to another global jaunt, this time to China where he wasn't too well received. China's two top men were not present for the conference nor were they at the banquet in the president's honor. They were supposedly hospitalized. Ford was told in no uncertain terms that the United States should be careful in their dealings with Russia and let it be known that the Chinese are considerably cooler in their attitude towards the U.S. since our latest talks with the Soviets. Personally, we don't believe either of the two communists countries can be trusted and keep wondering why we feel a need to buy their friendship with low cost grain and monetary loans at ridiculous price and shipping arrangements. If President Ford planned this trip to make himself popular with the voters, then he has miserably failed for it appears that it is nothing but a pleasure jaunt that was unnecessary and another million or so dollars wasted. Ford could have made an acknowledgement to the Chinese warning about Russia by saying, "so ... what's new?

Shelbina Democrat

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The most important things in life .... aren't things!

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OURS IS A PECULIAR LANGUAGE

If the Aramaic and the Greek of the days of Christ contained words or abbreviations that had as many meanings as some in our language, it's no wonder there are so many ideas about what Bible statements ought to say when translated into English.

For instance, let's take the abbreviation "S.O.S."

Anyone who has ever been in the army knows it is an unprintable description of a certain food served in the mess halls.

To the sailor it means "Save Our Ship".

To the evangelist it means "Save Our Souls".

To the Izaac Walton League it means "Save Our Streams".

That should be another reason for spelling out our words instead of using so many abbreviations.

Paris Appeal

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UNDERMINING HUMAN WORTH

Reimbursement of prescription drug costs for Medicare and Medicaid patients has become a crucial issue in view of the proposed ruling of the Health, Education and Welfare Department (HEW) that payments be made on the basis of the "lowest cost" drugs generally available. Under such a ruling, a pharmacist would be compelled to provide a substitute drug if the medication called for in a physician's prescription failed to meet the low-cost criteria.

Commenting on the proposed ruling of HEW, the president of the Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association (PMA) observes the : "PMA has bluntly stated that such a government rush to cheapness would intrude on the professionalism of physicians and pharmacists, disrupt the drug distribution system, increase risks to aged and welfare patients, reduce incentives for quality and service competition in the drug field, and create administrative mechanisms that would cost more than they could possibly save." In an effort to assist in the development of a workable drug reimbursement program for Medicare and Medicaid patients, the PMA has submitted to HEW an alternative proposal to the "lowest cost" plan.

The drug industry program would consist of three parts: it would provide for getting meaningful price information to physicians; it would disseminate drug quality information to doctors to facilitate their selection of the lower-priced products of known quality; and it would establish a system of peer review of drug prescribing and dispensing to monitor the effectiveness and economy of government-sponsored prescription drug services. The idea of using "lowest cost" as a determining factor in choice of drugs for certain groups is repugnant in the extreme. It smacks of concentration camp tactics.

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A HARD MAN TO FIND

A couple wanted to get married but couldn't find a minister. Someone suggested they go down to the nearby nudist colony where they had a minister. The minister agreed to marry them but said they would have to disrobe like everyone else. Since they were going to get married anyway, it would be OK. So they disrobed. The minister then said he would need witnesses. A dozen or more came up. The ceremony finally began. The minister asked the man if he took this woman for his lawful wedded wife? He said: "I do." Then he asked the bride if she took this man to be her lawful wedded husband? She answered: "No. I'll take that one over there."

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HI THERE, HUBERT

From the Miami Herald

HUBERT HORATION HUMPHREY says that despite his surprising rating in the polls, he does not presently plan to run for president again next year—but he would not turn down a draft.

For Minnesota's most voluble player, a draft appears to be a post care from New Hampshire and a phone call from Duluth. See you next March, Senator.

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MY HUSBAND was an Air Force pilot, and on his last leave before going overseas I reminded him to keep his trust in the Lord no matter how bad the situation became. Upon his safe return a year later, my first grateful words were: I told you that God wouldn't let you down."

He grinned and said, "I know. But He sure left me dangling there a couple of times."

Rita Gregory

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Before filling the position of executive officer aboard a destroyer, a friend of mine was required to pass an extensive physical examination. The doctor was not satisfied with the electrocardiogram, and sent it on to a heart specialist.

Later, my friend got the good news by phone. The only reason for the strange electrocardiogram was that his heart is in a slightly different position from most. "Medically speaking," the doctor said, "you are a healthy specimen. In fact, you are going to make a perfect executive officer. Your heart is in the wrong place!"

D.J. Shoemaker

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My FIANCE, stationed at the March AFB Regional Hospital in California, was about to write some letters on the official stationery when he noticed something new had been added. The Air Force, in its eternal quest for a good image, had printed at the bottom of each sheet: "Peace Is Our Profession." But just below this noble cliche, on some 200 sheets, he found that an industrious typist had added: "War Is Just a Hobby."

Denna C. McMillan

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For a class in infantry tactics, a group of officer candidates at Fort Benning, Ga., sat on the ground in an open area of low rolling hills covered with scrub undergrowth. The lecture was on the placement of troops and weapons in various types of terrain. Throughout, one member of the group dozed peacefully.

Without warning, the instructor called the dozer's name. Nudged by a companion, he got to his feet in time to hear the instructor ask him to look around and give a terrain evaluation. The student gazed around in a rather confused manner and then proclaimed, "Well, ten dollars an acre would be about right."

John L. George

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Because I spent some time in the Navy prior to joining the Army, certain words used in everyday language have a nautical flavor for me. A friend and I chanced to observe a well-shaped girl sliding an envelope under an office door. Her curtsy-like maneuver, enhanced by the miniskirt she was wearing, won an appreciative glance from both of us. My friend commented, "That was a rather nice bow!" From my Navy background, the words came without thinking: "And a pretty neat stern, too!"

Maj. Edwin R. York

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THREE newly commissioned ensigns at the Norfolk, Va., Naval Base decided to mark their first evening's entertainment at the Officers Club, which stands in the midst of a row of colonial mansions. Upon entering, they were given a friendly greeting and made to feel at home by an older man whom they took to be the waiter. They chatted a bit, then ordered drinks, which the waiter hastened to obtain. Then one officer played the piano for the other two, while the waiter took his ease in an adjacent chair. After some time, the young men decided the club was a pretty dead place and called for the check. Whereupon the "waiter" coldly informed them that he was the District Commandant, and that he was not in the habit of charging guests for refreshments served in his living room!

Lt. Cmdr. Winston W. Cornelius

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During World War II, the old Willard Hotel in Washington, D.C., was a popular stopover for military personnel, and occasionally the management had problems with persons leaving with bills unpaid. After completing flight school in Florida, I hitched a ride to Washington on the first available Air Corps plane and went to the Willard. The clerk assigned me a room on the tenth floor.

"Any baggage?" he asked.

"Only my parachute," I replied.

After giving me a quizzical look, he said, "Change that to Room 203-on the second floor."

C. Freeman

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

No Tonto He:
Reagan hit by dirty tricks

NEW YORK — There are many attempting to cast Ronnie Reagan as half Lone Ranger and half Tonto -- Spanish for foolish and silly. Well, to invoke a script line of my friend John Wayne, I'm not exactly burning the leather to rescue ex-California Gov. Reagan. But objectively the record shows that those who strive to daub the former Screen Actors Guild president as a Neanderthal are playing what these days generically are called "dirty tricks."

There is lot more to Reagan than his philosophical and well-reasoned conservatism, which even the Earl Warren Supreme Court wouldn't have ruled illegal. During the '40s, when his income and career were well fixed, he fought his wan into the actors' guild leadership though this meant rough war with the invading Al Capone Chicago syndicate as well as with tough, disciplined, Communist cadres.

When Reagan made the Guild's board of directors he knew that the Mafia had moved into Hollywood, had shaken it down for $1 million and were all over the place. Hard fellows, these. Led by Capone and Louis Campagna's movie industry account executive, Willie Bioff. The latter's "partner" was the late George (Brownie) Browne, then a vice president of the International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employes (IATSE).

Willie or one of the Mafia killers had gone to Browne and told him, "Brownie, you either come with us or go to the lake." Browne went with them -- meaning hit and muscle men like Charles (Cherry Nose) Gioe who departed this world in 1954 when he caught his instant death of a cold from a hail of machine gun bullets.

Nonetheless, after a World War stint, Regan went on the Guild board in 1946. A year later, Guild president Bob Montgomery resigned and the 44-member board chose Reagan, despite skilled Communist factional opposition. Those Guild directors weren't patsies. They were bright. They wanted a literate leader with guts. Ask some of them who still are around. And despite a running fight with the Communist minority, Reagan was elected to succeeding terms through 1952. He was recalled to the presidency for the 1959 term.

Reagan fought on an intellectual level. During the many anti-Communist caucuses he displayed a knowledge of national and international politics. At one point he wrote a friend:

"We are violently opposed to indiscriminate Red-baiting but believe that every union in our country must awaken to the menace of Communist party members who are seeking to destroy our trade unions by boring from within."

He didn't suspicion everybody. When he testified before the House Committee on Un-American Activities in October 1947 he noted that the Communists controlled only 1 per cent of the Guild's membership.

A few years later the old CIO, with Arthur Goldberg as its counsel, got around to ousting 11 of its unions on charges of following the Soviet line to the detriment of American labor.

Reagan drew from his Guild presidency a knowledge of trade unions which equals or bests that of all U.S. presidential possibilities except for Sens. Jackson, Humphrey and Kennedy. In fact, Reagan chaired one of the first significant joint labor-management efforts, when he was chosen head of the 35,000-member Motion Picture Industry Council.

Reagan nursed on politics as president of his high school and college student bodies. Later he organized a Hollywood voters' league. He was on the board of the American Veterans Committee Hollywood chapter.

Labor leaders and political activists didn't think him a dolt then.

They knew he wrote much of his own political scripts just as he wrote his own "stuff" when he was a radio sportscaster.

He still works out some of his presidential campaign speeches. It matters not here whether or not one agrees with him. Point is whether the orgiastic upheaval against "dirty tricks" in recent years has any meaning or impact. Does this conservative Reagan have the same civil and political rights of a Sargent Shriver or Fred Harris? No one is following Ted Kennedy around, or the others, dressed in a chimpanzee shirt to mock them, as Ronnie Reagan is being harassed.

Why double-standard journalism? Why no criticism of the smear of a man running for the first prize? Or is the Pulitzer Prize more precious?

No one need subscribe to Ronnie Reagan's philosophy; nor his fiscal policies; nor his assaults on big government; nor his inflexible anti-Soviet position. Or one can accept them all.

Question is, can a conservative, not on the extreme, but still right-of-center, get an even break? This is the same Reagan who fought for much less fortunate members of his talent union. This is the actor whom the New York Times described as giving "sensitive" and dignified performances. Further he's an old newsman. And as for the labor movement, it must always bear in mind that ex-Gov. Reagan plays a good game of golf. How can George Meany discount such a man?

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS:
Red tape helps smugglers
with LES WHITEEN

WASHINGTON— The State Department is so entangled in red tape that it has hampered the effort to stop drug smuggling.

For years, prodigious amounts of heroin, cocaine and marijuana have poured into the United Staes from Asia, Latin America and the Middle East. Each year, more than a billion dollars worth of "brown" heroin is smuggled across the border from Mexico alone.

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Dr. Lamb

Exercise helps varicose veins

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — Would you please let me know if playing tennis, dancing or strenuous exercise can be harmful if one has varicose veins. I will be anxiously awaiting your answer, along with two of my friends who also have varicose veins.

DEAR READER — No, it will not. If you just have dilated or varicose veins over the outside of the leg and the veins deep inside your leg muscles that you can't see are all right, the exercise will actually help. As you exercise, the venous blood in the legs is milked out of the leg by a massaging action of the contracting leg muscles.

The superficial veins drain into the deeper veins and emptying the deep veins helps drain the superficial ones.

If the superficial veins are all that are involved you will not have any trouble with significant ankle swelling. When the deep veins are also involved you will have persistent swelling of the involved leg.

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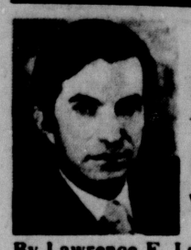

Dr. Lamb

Exercise helps varicose veins

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — Would you please let me know if playing tennis, dancing or strenuous exercise can be harmful if one has varicose veins. I will be anxiously awaiting your answer, along with two of my friends who also have varicose veins.

DEAR READER — No, it will not. If you just have dilated or varicose veins over the outside of the leg and the veins deep inside your leg muscles that you can't see are all right, the exercise will actually help. As you exercise, the venous blood in the legs is milked out of the leg by a massaging action of the contracting leg muscles.

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The New Madrid exhibition is the first showing of the larger prints in this area.

The exhibition is part of the artist's work now touring the state to raise funds by public subscription for the purchase of 112 Bingham drawings, depicting Missouri history for the people of the state.

The exhibit is free to the public. However, contributions to the campaign must be made at the museum.

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According to the 1970 Census Report, Californians had more cats and dogs — 50,000,000 — than any other state in the union.

Designers discover 'ample' figure

NEW YORK — (NEA) — "Maude" is independent, outspoken and dauntless. If the TV image is accurate, she's also a large size woman and, as such, she represents one-sixth of America's female population.

It's a goodly number of women who, until recently, had little to choose from in clothes. And what there was was functional rather than flattering.

"But no matter what age or income bracket group the large woman falls into, she wants to look pretty, like every other woman," says Marvin Rosen, sales manager of Lady Russ, a New York sportswear house specializing in large sizes.

Now she can, and still cope with her particular figure problems. She's a tall, generally well-proportioned woman. And though she also may be buxom, her "heaviest area is roughly 17 inches down from under the arm," explains Laura Ferraro, eastern regional sales manager of Mr. Alex, a California-based firm.

"In other words, her hips are full. To camouflage that, tops are cut long and extend below the hip line. If we put pockets in the hip area of a vest or a jacket, we'll use other detailing closer to the shoulder to catch the eye and deemphasize them.

"Most of our jackets and shirts, which are worn outside the pant or skirt, are done in a princess line for a slenderizing effect," she says. And many have side slits for added mobility.

To satisfy the large woman's desire for a contemporary look, designers adapt "missy" or 8-16 size concepts to he needs. A roll-sleeve jacket in a "big top," say, with raglan sleeves. Or a mock-fly front on a pair of slacks which pull on and are made of knit polyester for give and stretch.

Actually, the pull-on waist on skirts and pants is standard for the big woman. Anything that constricts the waist is avoided, but there's always room for deception.

"You never used to see a belt in a large woman's department," Marvin Rosen says, "but now you can hav a self-belt that covers an elasticized waist."

Blazers are cut full, without back darts, and vests are always long, never the weskit that cuts the figure midway.

The woman who wears a size 38-46 inch top likes to wear tank tops or skivvys as well as anyone, and they work well for the layered look under jackets or vests, and as part of blouse and shell sets.

"This customer is wearing a lot of prints now, primarily in tops, because until now she couldn't get them," explains Barry Rothenberg, division manager of Lady Fairfield, another New York firm.

"She'd see her size 10 friend in lively prints and wonder, why do I always have to wear navy, black or brown?"

Though she still tends to choose solid colors in a skirt or pant, the spectrum is vivid: bright yellow, geranium, raspberry, even white, a longtime bugaboo for the ample figure.

One manufacturer says the large size woman's business developed because, in this time of sickly economics, sportswear houses were looking for an area of growth.

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Pill may cause; tumors of liver

CHICAGO (AP) — A Kentucky medical research group reports that oral contraceptives may cause tumors of the liver.

Doctors from the University of Louisville School of Medicine wrote in the Feb. 16 issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association that 13 young women delivered liver tumors after taking birth control pills. Nine of the tumors were benign, four malignant.

The patients were young, nonalcoholic, generally healthy and free of liver disease, said surgeon E. Truman Mays, M.D.

The exact role of contraceptive pills in liver tumors is unproved, he said, "but a possible link between these pills and hepatic liver tumor seems increasingly likely."

However, a study done by the Population Council released over the weekend found that the mortality risk among women who use the pill and other major birth control measures is generally lower than the risk of death from pregnancy itself.

As an exception, the study noted that the risk of death from oral contraceptives is higher than that from pregnancy for women over 40. It recommended alternative methods of birth control for women in the over-40 age bracket.

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DEAR POLLY — During a terrific hailstorm two of our aluminum screens were ripped out. Now I have rustproof dryers to use for laundered items that should be laid flat to dry. I place the screens across the bathtub so the air circulating around the items dries them faster. I used a permanent ink marker to outline the shapes of the sweaters and things that need shaping but have not figured out a good way to hold the articles in place. Maybe you or some reader can help me. — NELDA.

DEAR NELDA — It seems to me rustproof pins should hold the clothing in shape if no real stretching is required. If such pieces come almost to the edges, snap clothespins might do it. Perhaps some reader will have a better idea and, if so, we will pass it along to you. — POLLY.

Ann Landers

Drunk hubby has own indoor sprinkler system

Dear Ann Landers: I've never heard of another grown man with the problem my husband has. We've got to find a solution before I go mad.

He's well thought of in the community and successful in business. He stops frequently after working late and has a few beers. He says it's never over six or seven although I'm sure when he and his buddies get to talking, nobody bothers to keep count.

Then he comes home (not really drunk but feeling good) and goes to bed for a while -- and this is the problem. He gets up to go to the bathroom, only he doesn't quite make it even though the bathroom is only five feet from his side of the bed.

In his sleepy, beery state, he proceeds to relieve himself, usually in the corner all over the carpet, or between the bed and the bathroom by his chest-of-drawers. Last night was the worst yet. The chest of drawers was open and he soaked his socks and T-shirts.

I've tried getting mad. I've also tried appealing to his sense of pride. Nothing helps. It just keeps on happening. Any advice? -- His Wife

Dear Wife: Your in-house sprinkler system has a deeper problem than the one you are complaining about. It is called alcoholism. The guy is a beer drunk. If you want to continue to lie with him in peace, join Al-Anon and learn how. Look in the phone book or contact Alcoholics Anonymous for more information.

Dear Ann: Recently you printed a letter from a young girl whose boyfriend broke up with her every three weeks and asked for all his gifts back. He sounds so much like the sick, immature boy I married, I had to write.

After a year of fighting, breaking up, returning all his presents and making up again, we finally got married. Then, every time we had an argument he'd move out and take the TV, stereo, camera equipment, etc. A few days later he'd move back in with all the stuff. I'm sure the neighbors questioned our sanity.

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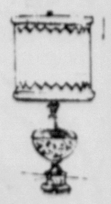

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NEW MADRID — An exhibit of assorted art prints by George Caleb Bingham is on display in the New Madrid Historical Museum building. The collection includes small color prints and a group of larger works.

The New Madrid exhibition is the first showing of the larger prints in this area.

The exhibition is part of the artist's work now touring the state to raise funds by public subscription for the purchase of 112 Bingham drawings, depicting Missouri history for the people of the state.

The exhibit is free to the public. However, contributions to the campaign must be made at the museum.

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Designers discover 'ample' figure

NEW YORK — (NEA) — "Maude" is independent, outspoken and dauntless. If the TV image is accurate, she's also a large size woman and, as such, she represents one-sixth of America's female population.

It's a goodly number of women who, until recently, had little to choose from in clothes. And what there was was functional rather than flattering.

"But no matter what age or income bracket group the large woman falls into, she wants to look pretty, like every other woman," says Marvin Rosen, sales manager of Lady Russ, a New York sportswear house specializing in large sizes.

Now she can, and still cope with her particular figure problems. She's a tall, generally well-proportioned woman. And though she also may be buxom, her "heaviest area is roughly 17 inches down from under the arm," explains Laura Ferraro, eastern regional sales manager of Mr. Alex, a California-based firm.

"In other words, her hips are full. To camouflage that, tops are cut long and extend below the hip line. If we put pockets in the hip area of a vest or a jacket, we'll use other detailing closer to the shoulder to catch the eye and deemphasize them.

"Most of our jackets and shirts, which are worn outside the pant or skirt, are done in a princess line for a slenderizing effect," she says. And many have side slits for added mobility.

To satisfy the large woman's desire for a contemporary look, designers adapt "missy" or 8-16 size concepts to he needs. A roll-sleeve jacket in a "big top," say, with raglan sleeves. Or a mock-fly front on a pair of slacks which pull on and are made of knit polyester for give and stretch.

Actually, the pull-on waist on skirts and pants is standard for the big woman. Anything that constricts the waist is avoided, but there's always room for deception.

"You never used to see a belt in a large woman's department," Marvin Rosen says, "but now you can hav a self-belt that covers an elasticized waist."

Blazers are cut full, without back darts, and vests are always long, never the weskit that cuts the figure midway.

The woman who wears a size 38-46 inch top likes to wear tank tops or skivvys as well as anyone, and they work well for the layered look under jackets or vests, and as part of blouse and shell sets.

"This customer is wearing a lot of prints now, primarily in tops, because until now she couldn't get them," explains Barry Rothenberg, division manager of Lady Fairfield, another New York firm.

"She'd see her size 10 friend in lively prints and wonder, why do I always have to wear navy, black or brown?"

Though she still tends to choose solid colors in a skirt or pant, the spectrum is vivid: bright yellow, geranium, raspberry, even white, a longtime bugaboo for the ample figure.

One manufacturer says the large size woman's business developed because, in this time of sickly economics, sportswear houses were looking for an area of growth.

Pill may cause; tumors of liver

CHICAGO (AP) — A Kentucky medical research group reports that oral contraceptives may cause tumors of the liver.

Doctors from the University of Louisville School of Medicine wrote in the Feb. 16 issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association that 13 young women delivered liver tumors after taking birth control pills. Nine of the tumors were benign, four malignant.

The patients were young, nonalcoholic, generally healthy and free of liver disease, said surgeon E. Truman Mays, M.D.

The exact role of contraceptive pills in liver tumors is unproved, he said, "but a possible link between these pills and hepatic liver tumor seems increasingly likely."

However, a study done by the Population Council released over the weekend found that the mortality risk among women who use the pill and other major birth control measures is generally lower than the risk of death from pregnancy itself.

As an exception, the study noted that the risk of death from oral contraceptives is higher than that from pregnancy for women over 40. It recommended alternative methods of birth control for women in the over-40 age bracket.

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Polly's Problem

DEAR POLLY — During a terrific hailstorm two of our aluminum screens were ripped out. Now I have rustproof dryers to use for laundered items that should be laid flat to dry. I place the screens across the bathtub so the air circulating around the items dries them faster. I used a permanent ink marker to outline the shapes of the sweaters and things that need shaping but have not figured out a good way to hold the articles in place. Maybe you or some reader can help me. — NELDA.

DEAR NELDA — It seems to me rustproof pins should hold the clothing in shape if no real stretching is required. If such pieces come almost to the edges, snap clothespins might do it. Perhaps some reader will have a better idea and, if so, we will pass it along to you. — POLLY.

Ann Landers

Drunk hubby has own indoor sprinkler system

Dear Ann Landers: I've never heard of another grown man with the problem my husband has. We've got to find a solution before I go mad.

He's well thought of in the community and successful in business. He stops frequently after working late and has a few beers. He says it's never over six or seven although I'm sure when he and his buddies get to talking, nobody bothers to keep count.

Then he comes home (not really drunk but feeling good) and goes to bed for a while -- and this is the problem. He gets up to go to the bathroom, only he doesn't quite make it even though the bathroom is only five feet from his side of the bed.

In his sleepy, beery state, he proceeds to relieve himself, usually in the corner all over the carpet, or between the bed and the bathroom by his chest-of-drawers. Last night was the worst yet. The chest of drawers was open and he soaked his socks and T-shirts.

I've tried getting mad. I've also tried appealing to his sense of pride. Nothing helps. It just keeps on happening. Any advice? -- His Wife

Dear Wife: Your in-house sprinkler system has a deeper problem than the one you are complaining about. It is called alcoholism. The guy is a beer drunk. If you want to continue to lie with him in peace, join Al-Anon and learn how. Look in the phone book or contact Alcoholics Anonymous for more information.

Dear Ann: Recently you printed a letter from a young girl whose boyfriend broke up with her every three weeks and asked for all his gifts back. He sounds so much like the sick, immature boy I married, I had to write.

After a year of fighting, breaking up, returning all his presents and making up again, we finally got married. Then, every time we had an argument he'd move out and take the TV, stereo, camera equipment, etc. A few days later he'd move back in with all the stuff. I'm sure the neighbors questioned our sanity.

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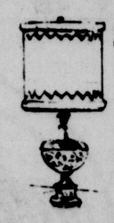

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Consumer pays extra charge for electricity

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Records of the Missouri Public Service Commission show the average residential consumer paid an additional monthly charge of between 60 cents and $4.69 cents for his electricity last year.

The information was supplied as an exhibit during the final public hearings before the PSC on whether the controversial automatic rate hikes should be continued beyond April 15.

The automatic charge, added to the already authorized rates for a utility, is the increase in price a company must pay for fuel to generate electricity over the price paid in February 1974. Because of fluctuating prices for fuel in recent years, the additional increase varies from month to month.

The first month after it was permitted in 1974, the automatic adjustment actually provided the average customer of Kansas City Power & Light Co. a 28 cent refund because that month's fuel price fell below the base price.

But in 1975, the first full year under the system, residential customers experienced only increases in their monthly bills.

For KCP&L's 278,000 customers, it ranged from 84 cents in March to $2.70 in December.

Union Electric Co. of St. Louis, the state's largest electric utility with 650,000 customers, had a range from $1.19 in May to $2.37 in March.

The largest range was experienced by customers of Arkansas-Missouri Power Co., who saw the added cost on their bills vary from $1.12 in January to $4.76 in October.

The low and high fuel adjustment charges for the six other major utilities in Missouri and the month each charge was recorded were:

—St. Joseph Light & Power Co., $1.40 in January to $4.69 in June.

—Missouri Public Service Co., 60 cents in April, May and June to $1.68 in October.

—Missouri Utilities Co., $1.40 in January to $2.73 in February.

—Missouri Edison Co., $1.19 in June to $2.14 in February.

—Missouri Power & Light Co., $1.05 in January to $2.03 in February and August.

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Cooking Up

By CHERIE BLANTON

Today I want to share with you some recipes that I haven't had the opportunity to prepare yet. But they were given to me by excellent cooks and come highly recommended.

ITALIAN BEEF

2-pound beef chuck roast, 1-inch thick
onion soup mix
chopped green pepper
¼ cup chopped onion
1 pound can of tomatoes
¼ tsp. salt.
pepper
1 Tbsp. steak sauce
1 Tbsp. cornstarch
2 Tbsp. chopped parsley

Mix all together. Put on your meat and bake at 350 degrees for two hours, covered.

MINCE CHIFFON PIE

1 envelope Knox gelatin
One-third cup sugar
2 eggs separated
2 Tbsp. brandy
1 baked pastry shell
¼ tsp. salt
1 cup milk
1 cup mince meat
1 cup Cool Whip.

Mix gelatin with salt and about one-half of the sugar in top of double boiler. Add milk and lightly beaten egg yolks. Cook over hot water, stirring frequently until mixture coats spoon. Remove from heat and stir in mincemeat and brandy. Cool until mixture thickens and begins to jell. Beat egg whites until stiff and gradually beat in remaining sugar. Fold in Cool Whip and egg whites into mincemeat mixture -- chill until mixture mounds on spoon. Heap into baked pie shell and chill till firm.

PISTACHIO INSTANT PUDDING BAKE

1 package yellow cake mix
1 cup club soda
½ cup Crisco oil
4 eggs
1 package instant pistachio pudding mix

Dump together, beat well. Add one-fourth cup creme de menthe and beat well again. Pour into a 9x13x2 greased pan and bake 40 minutes at 350 degrees.

Cool and split cake into two layers and fill with:

½ cup sugar
1½ Tbsp. cornstarch
½ cup boiling water
½ Tbsp. butter
3 Tbsp. lemon juice.

Mix sugar and cornstarch. Add boiling water and cook over low heat till thick. Add butter and lemon juice; stir till very thick. Cool, add Cool Whip to taste and fill cake layers. Ice with one package of pistachio pudding mix combined with one scant cup of milk. Beat till thick and ice.

MOLDED SPINACH SALAD

1 large box lemon gelatin
2 cups hot water
1 cup cold water

Pour this into a Pam sprayed long Pyrex dish; put in refrigerator and allow to partially set.

Mix: 2 cups small curd cottage cheese
½ cup mayonnaise
1 tsp. vinegar
½ tsp. salt
dash of horseradish

Stir this into jelled mixture.

Now add:

2 boxes frozen chopped spinach, thawed and squeezed good
½ cup chopped green pepper
½ cup chopped green onion
½ cup chopped celery

When set, cut into squares and top with sour cream and crisp fried bacon crumbles.

Fewer power plants in future

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A measure requiring permission from a state agency before a major new power plant can be constructed in Missouri was introduced to a house committee Tuesday night.

The proposed legislation establishes a strict formula for applications to build energy plants. The applications would have to show the need for a new plant and the measures planned to prevent excessive environmental damage. Alternative sites and fuel sources would also be required.

Rep. Joe D. Holt, D-Fu,ton, introduced the measure which, in its original form, calls for the Public Service Commission to act as the siting agency, and in a substitute form calls for the establishment of a Missouri Energy Siting Commission to act as the authorizing commission.

Because of the introduction of the substitute bill, another committee hearing will be held later for opponents of the measure to speak.

Supporters of the bill warned that needs for more nuclear power plants in Missouri necessitate the formation of a state agency to oversee future planning.

Marvin Nodiff, representing the Department of Natural Resources, said problems other states have encountered point up the need for a siting commission in Missouri.

"The El Diablo Plant constructed in California was just discovered to be three miles from a potential earthquake fault which could cause greater damage than the facility can withstand," Nodiff said. "Now they have to decide if they can operate the plant safely."

Nodiff mentioned several prominent engineers who have left nuclear plant utilities because of safety fears.

"There are serious questions the state should be prepared for," Nodiff said. "The new Madrid fault in Missouri is a serious seismic area to avoid building nuclear plants near."

Nodiff said utilities previously have opposed the formation of siting committees because they are not "one-stop shopping," but he said the proposed legislation would provide that benefit.

The committee also heard testimony on bills to regulate radiation emissions in Missouri and to limit energy consumption in public buildings.

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Class builds solar furnace

LAMAR, Mo. (AP) — Using such things as an old ice cream storage freezer, crushed glass, part of a hay bin and other improvisations, the students in Ralph Williston's science classes at Lamar High School have created a solar furnace that's become a hot topic.

"They say necessity is the mother of invention," Williston explains. "We had a few vacant school rooms without heat, so we decided to build a solar furnace. Now those rooms are warm and usable."

Williston is thinking in terms of a patent for what he and his students have wrought because it has a unique parabolic collector to focus the rays of the sun and he feels it is more efficient than the flat surfaces used in other solar heating systems.

The parabolic collector is not the only oddity on the roof of the high school in this southwest Missouri town of 3,760 where Harry S. Truman was born. Williston and the students in his advanced physics and chemistry classes also have built a wind generator and a celestial observatory. They have a radar scanner to work with.

"This has been our most ambitious project," Williston said of the solar furnace. "We managed to get the public involved because we needed donations. Now we have people coming every day to look at it."

The solar furnace cost $1,200. Modifying and perfecting it in future experiments may bring the price tag near $2,000.

"We should be able to turn it into an air conditioner during the summer," Williston said, "but that's just one of a hundred experiments we have in mind."

Students cut apart a metal hay bin to make the parabolic collector. They electroplated a mirror-like surface onto sheets of metal to line the concave surface.

The sun's rays are bounced onto a finned coil which runs the 12-foot length of the parabola, and their heat is transferred to a half-and-half mixture of water and antifreeze which is pumped through the coil.

The pump also pulls the heated mixture through another coil system which is embedded in two tons of crushed glass inside the old ice cream freezer box, and the glass becomes the depository for the heat.

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Grocery prices remain stable

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Grocery prices remained fairly stable this week, the Missouri Farm Bureau Shoppers Guide reports.

Beef blade roast at $.86 per pound and sirloin steak at $1.75 led the price reductions dropping five cents and four cents per pound. Penny increases were recorded for beef arm roast at $1.17 per pound, rib steak at $1.61 per pound, T-bone steak at $1.99 per pound, and round steak at $1.46 per pound. Ground beef rose two cents to $.79 per pound.

Pork prices showed more reductions than increases. Center cut chops at $1.86 and blade roast at $1.31 both dropped four cents from last week, and shank portion at $1.03 and butt portions at $1.13 each dropped a penny. Only pork steak prices increased rising five cents to $1.45.

Chicken prices increased three cents for whole fryers to $.57, and two cents for cut up fryers at $.64. Milk remained stable at $1.61 for a gallon of whole milk and $1.53 for two per cent.

All egg prices dropped slightly. Grade A extra large eggs dropped two cents to $.87 a dozen, and Grade A large eggs matched the drop to $.84. Medium egg prices dropped a penny to $.78.

Bread increased a penny to $.64, while potatoes dropped two cents to $1.48. Sugar increased five cents to $1.31.

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Consumer pays extra charge for electricity

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Records of the Missouri Public Service Commission show the average residential consumer paid an additional monthly charge of between 60 cents and $4.69 cents for his electricity last year.

The information was supplied as an exhibit during the final public hearings before the PSC on whether the controversial automatic rate hikes should be continued beyond April 15.

The automatic charge, added to the already authorized rates for a utility, is the increase in price a company must pay for fuel to generate electricity over the price paid in February 1974. Because of fluctuating prices for fuel in recent years, the additional increase varies from month to month.

The first month after it was permitted in 1974, the automatic adjustment actually provided the average customer of Kansas City Power & Light Co. a 28 cent refund because that month's fuel price fell below the base price.

But in 1975, the first full year under the system, residential customers experienced only increases in their monthly bills.

For KCP&L's 278,000 customers, it ranged from 84 cents in March to $2.70 in December.

Union Electric Co. of St. Louis, the state's largest electric utility with 650,000 customers, had a range from $1.19 in May to $2.37 in March.

The largest range was experienced by customers of Arkansas-Missouri Power Co., who saw the added cost on their bills vary from $1.12 in January to $4.76 in October.

The low and high fuel adjustment charges for the six other major utilities in Missouri and the month each charge was recorded were:

—St. Joseph Light & Power Co., $1.40 in January to $4.69 in June.

—Missouri Public Service Co., 60 cents in April, May and June to $1.68 in October.

—Missouri Utilities Co., $1.40 in January to $2.73 in February.

—Missouri Edison Co., $1.19 in June to $2.14 in February.

—Missouri Power & Light Co., $1.05 in January to $2.03 in February and August.

—Empire District Electric Co., $1.05 in January to $1.93 in November and December.

Cooking Up

By CHERIE BLANTON

Today I want to share with you some recipes that I haven't had the opportunity to prepare yet. But they were given to me by excellent cooks and come highly recommended.

ITALIAN BEEF

2-pound beef chuck roast, 1-inch thick
onion soup mix
chopped green pepper
¼ cup chopped onion
1 pound can of tomatoes
¼ tsp. salt.
pepper
1 Tbsp. steak sauce
1 Tbsp. cornstarch
2 Tbsp. chopped parsley

Mix all together. Put on your meat and bake at 350 degrees for two hours, covered.

MINCE CHIFFON PIE

1 envelope Knox gelatin
One-third cup sugar
2 eggs separated
2 Tbsp. brandy
1 baked pastry shell
¼ tsp. salt
1 cup milk
1 cup mince meat
1 cup Cool Whip.

Mix gelatin with salt and about one-half of the sugar in top of double boiler. Add milk and lightly beaten egg yolks. Cook over hot water, stirring frequently until mixture coats spoon. Remove from heat and stir in mincemeat and brandy. Cool until mixture thickens and begins to jell. Beat egg whites until stiff and gradually beat in remaining sugar. Fold in Cool Whip and egg whites into mincemeat mixture -- chill until mixture mounds on spoon. Heap into baked pie shell and chill till firm.

PISTACHIO INSTANT PUDDING BAKE

1 package yellow cake mix
1 cup club soda
½ cup Crisco oil
4 eggs
1 package instant pistachio pudding mix

Dump together, beat well. Add one-fourth cup creme de menthe and beat well again. Pour into a 9x13x2 greased pan and bake 40 minutes at 350 degrees.

Cool and split cake into two layers and fill with:

½ cup sugar
1½ Tbsp. cornstarch
½ cup boiling water
½ Tbsp. butter
3 Tbsp. lemon juice.

Mix sugar and cornstarch. Add boiling water and cook over low heat till thick. Add butter and lemon juice; stir till very thick. Cool, add Cool Whip to taste and fill cake layers. Ice with one package of pistachio pudding mix combined with one scant cup of milk. Beat till thick and ice.

MOLDED SPINACH SALAD

1 large box lemon gelatin
2 cups hot water
1 cup cold water

Pour this into a Pam sprayed long Pyrex dish; put in refrigerator and allow to partially set.

Mix: 2 cups small curd cottage cheese
½ cup mayonnaise
1 tsp. vinegar
½ tsp. salt
dash of horseradish

Stir this into jelled mixture.

Now add:

2 boxes frozen chopped spinach, thawed and squeezed good
½ cup chopped green pepper
½ cup chopped green onion
½ cup chopped celery

When set, cut into squares and top with sour cream and crisp fried bacon crumbles.

Fewer power plants in future

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A measure requiring permission from a state agency before a major new power plant can be constructed in Missouri was introduced to a house committee Tuesday night.

The proposed legislation establishes a strict formula for applications to build energy plants. The applications would have to show the need for a new plant and the measures planned to prevent excessive environmental damage. Alternative sites and fuel sources would also be required.

Rep. Joe D. Holt, D-Fulton, introduced the measure which, in its original form, calls for the Public Service Commission to act as the siting agency, and in a substitute form calls for the establishment of a Missouri Energy Siting Commission to act as the authorizing commission.

Because of the introduction of the substitute bill, another committee hearing will be held later for opponents of the measure to speak.

Supporters of the bill warned that needs for more nuclear power plants in Missouri necessitate the formation of a state agency to oversee future planning.

Marvin Nodiff, representing the Department of Natural Resources, said problems other states have encountered point up the need for a siting commission in Missouri.

"The El Diablo Plant constructed in California was just discovered to be three miles from a potential earthquake fault which could cause greater damage than the facility can withstand," Nodiff said. "Now they have to decide if they can operate the plant safely."

Nodiff mentioned several prominent engineers who have left nuclear plant utilities because of safety fears.

"There are serious questions the state should be prepared for," Nodiff said. "The new Madrid fault in Missouri is a serious seismic area to avoid building nuclear plants near."

Nodiff said utilities previously have opposed the formation of siting committees because they are not "one-stop shopping," but he said the proposed legislation would provide that benefit.

The committee also heard testimony on bills to regulate radiation emissions in Missouri and to limit energy consumption in public buildings.

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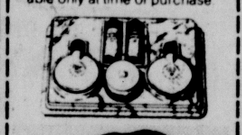

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Class builds solar furnace

LAMAR, Mo. (AP) — Using such things as an old ice cream storage freezer, crushed glass, part of a hay bin and other improvisations, the students in Ralph Williston's science classes at Lamar High School have created a solar furnace that's become a hot topic.

"They say necessity is the mother of invention," Williston explains. "We had a few vacant school rooms without heat, so we decided to build a solar furnace. Now those rooms are warm and usable."

Williston is thinking in terms of a patent for what he and his students have wrought because it has a unique parabolic collector to focus the rays of the sun and he feels it is more efficient than the flat surfaces used in other solar heating systems.

The parabolic collector is not the only oddity on the roof of the high school in this southwest Missouri town of 3,760 where Harry S. Truman was born. Williston and the students in his advanced physics and chemistry classes also have built a wind generator and a celestial observatory. They have a radar scanner to work with.

"This has been our most ambitious project," Williston said of the solar furnace. "We managed to get the public involved because we needed donations. Now we have people coming every day to look at it."

The solar furnace cost $1,200. Modifying and perfecting it in future experiments may bring the price tag near $2,000.

"We should be able to turn it into an air conditioner during the summer," Williston said, "but that's just one of a hundred experiments we have in mind."

Students cut apart a metal hay bin to make the parabolic collector. They electroplated a mirror-like surface onto sheets of metal to line the concave surface.

The sun's rays are bounced onto a finned coil which runs the 12-foot length of the parabola, and their heat is transferred to a half-and-half mixture of water and antifreeze which is pumped through the coil.

The pump also pulls the heated mixture through another coil system which is embedded in two tons of crushed glass inside the old ice cream freezer box, and the glass becomes the depository for the heat.

A blower and another transfer system send warm air through ducts into the previously unheated rooms.

Grocery prices remain stable

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Grocery prices remained fairly stable this week, the Missouri Farm Bureau Shoppers Guide reports.

Beef blade roast at $.86 per pound and sirloin steak at $1.75 led the price reductions dropping five cents and four cents per pound. Penny increases were recorded for beef arm roast at $1.17 per pound, rib steak at $1.61 per pound, T-bone steak at $1.99 per pound, and round steak at $1.46 per pound. Ground beef rose two cents to $.79 per pound.

Pork prices showed more reductions than increases. Center cut chops at $1.86 and blade roast at $1.31 both dropped four cents from last week, and shank portion at $1.03 and butt portions at $1.13 each dropped a penny. Only pork steak prices increased rising five cents to $1.45.

Chicken prices increased three cents for whole fryers to $.57, and two cents for cut up fryers at $.64. Milk remained stable at $1.61 for a gallon of whole milk and $1.53 for two per cent.

All egg prices dropped slightly. Grade A extra large eggs dropped two cents to $.87 a dozen, and Grade A large eggs matched the drop to $.84. Medium egg prices dropped a penny to $.78.

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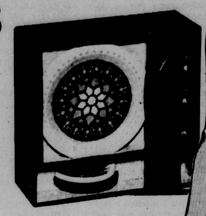

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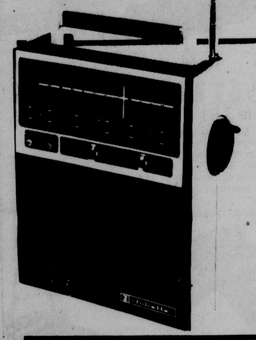

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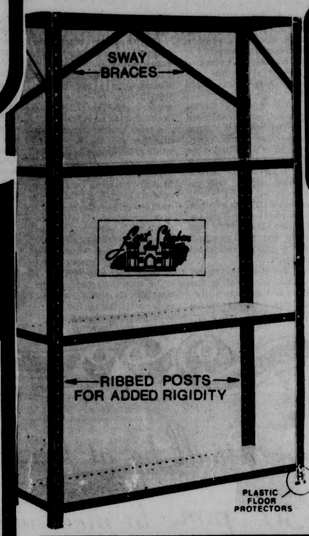

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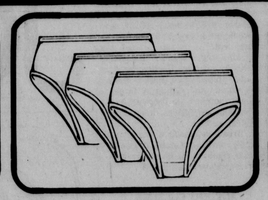

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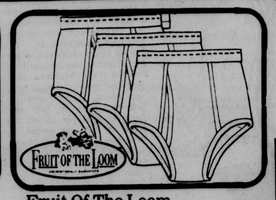

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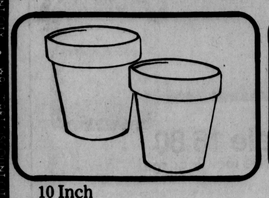

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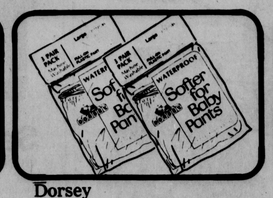

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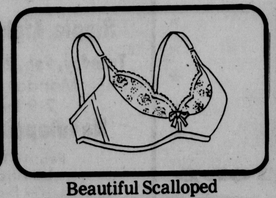

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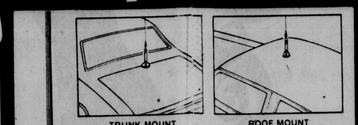

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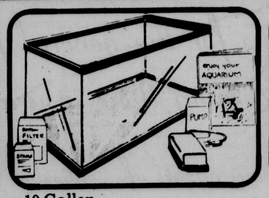

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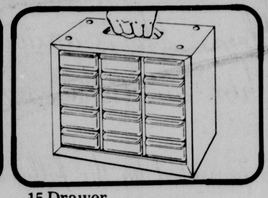

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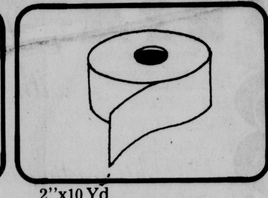

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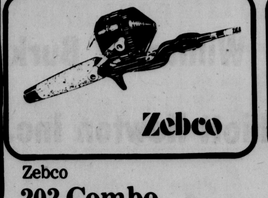

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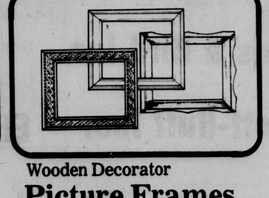

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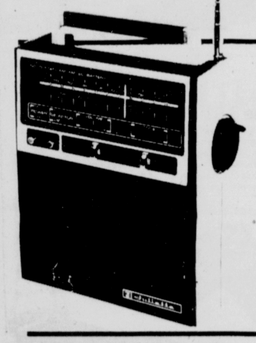

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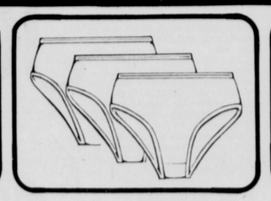

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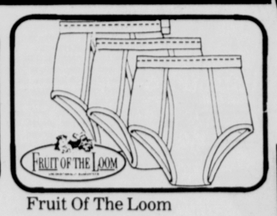

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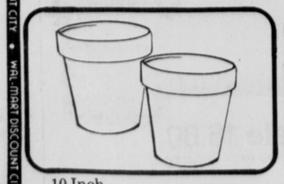

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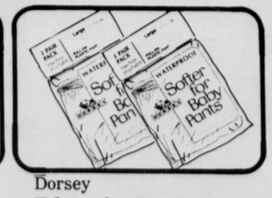

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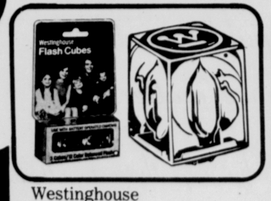

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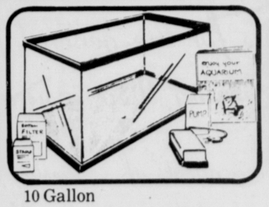

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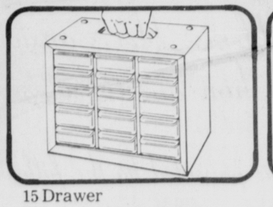

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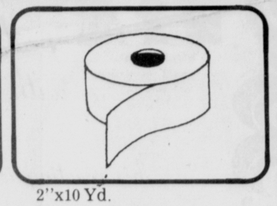

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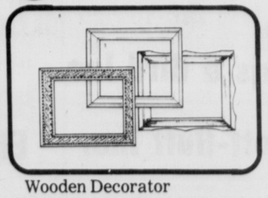

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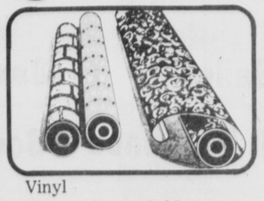

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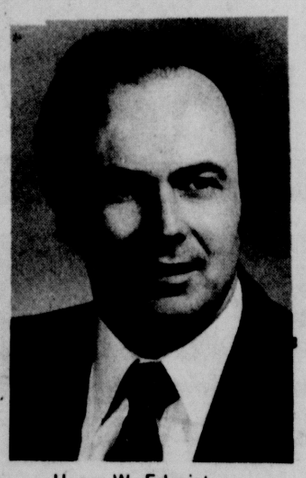

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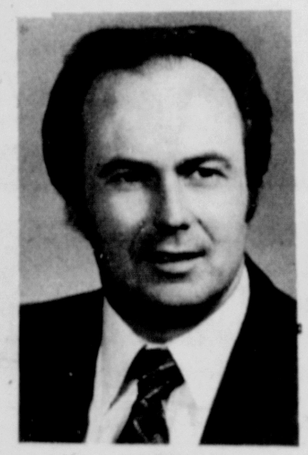

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The three films were nominated for best picture, along with "Jaws" and "Nashville."

In the best actor category, Nicholson faces competition from Walter Matthau in "The Sunshine Boys;" Al Pacino, "Dog Day Afternoon;" Maximillian Schell, "The Man in the Glass Booth," and James Whitmore, "Give 'Em Hell, Harry!"

Miss Fletcher's opponents as best actress are Isabelle Adjani, "The Story of Adele H.;" Ann-Margret, "Tommy;" Glenda Jackson, "Hedda," and Carol Kane, "Hester Street."

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The supporting actress race features two from "Nashville," Ronee Blakley and comedienne Lily Tomlin. Also nominated: Lee Grant, "Shampoo;" Sylvia Miles, "Farewell, My Lovely," and Brenda Vaccaro, "Once Is Not Enough."

'Bear up lad, it'll get better'

Average White Band anything but

By Dick Kleiner

HOLLYWOOD — The latest imported British musical craze, The Average White Band, was in town, and their appearance made me wonder — why is it that so much of our current pop music has British roots?

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Alan Gorrie, one of the six Scotsmen (actually, one is English) who make up The Average White Band, thinks the answer to the riddle lies in the differences in cultural patterns for the youth in the two nations.

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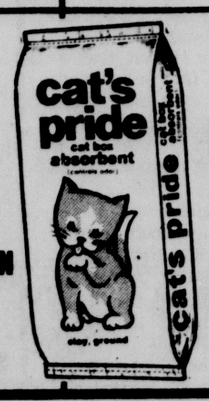

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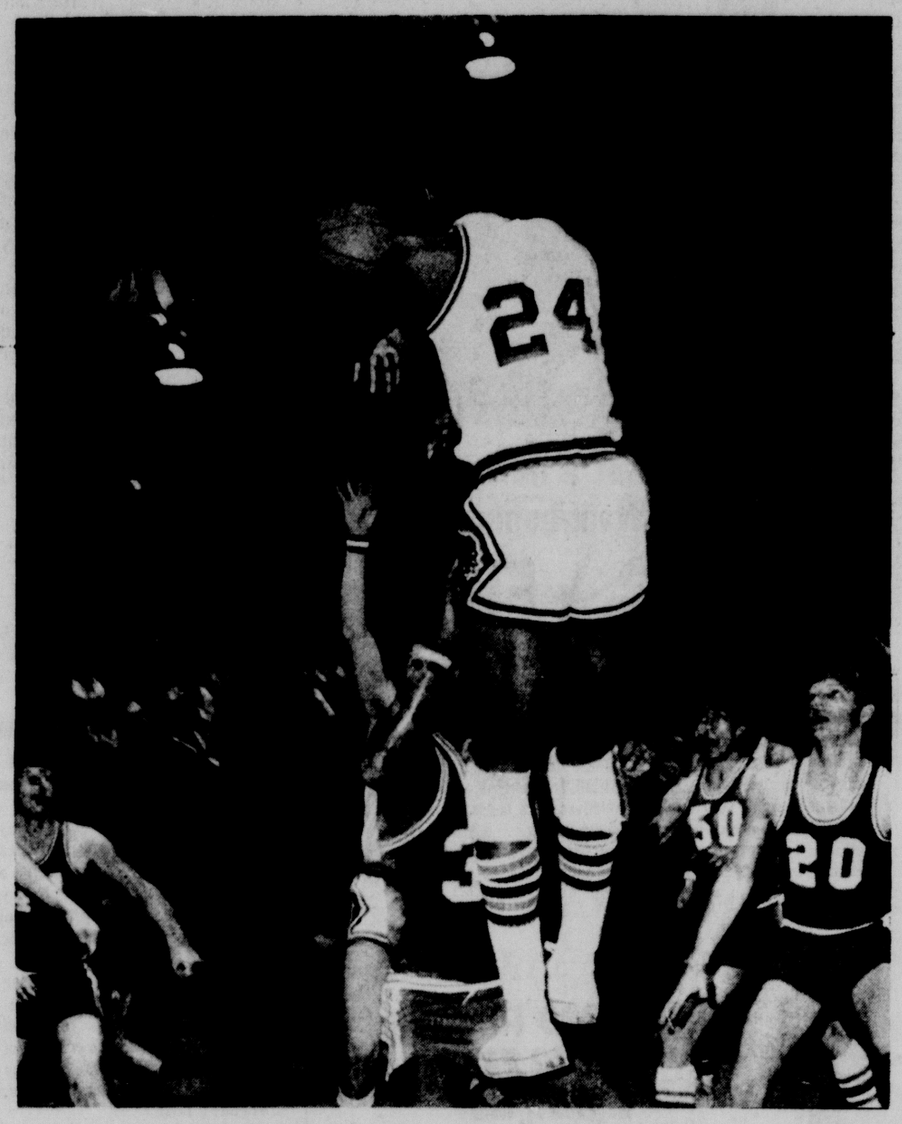

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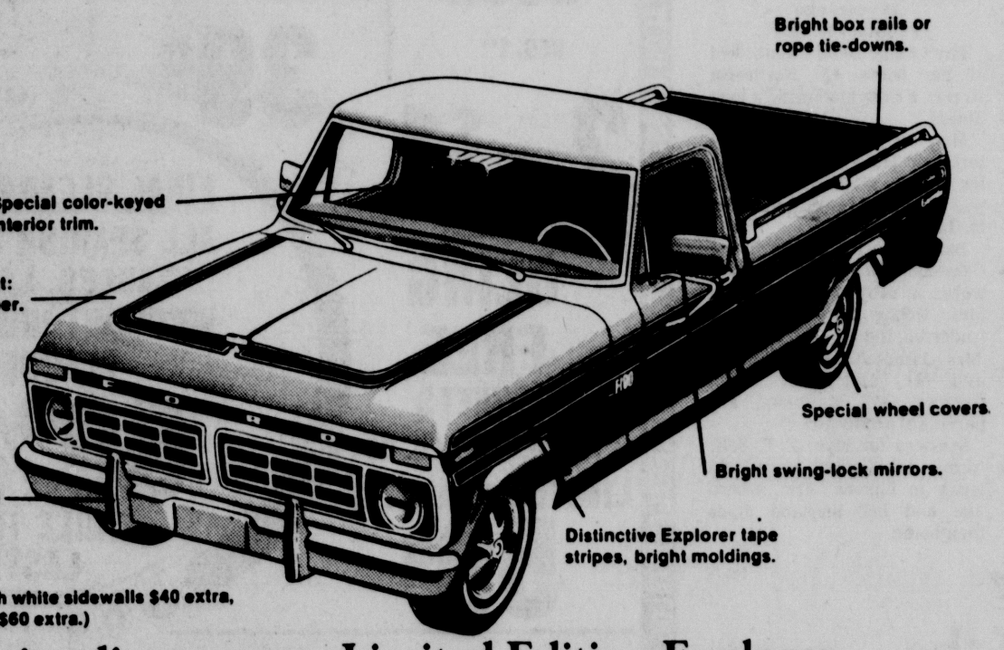

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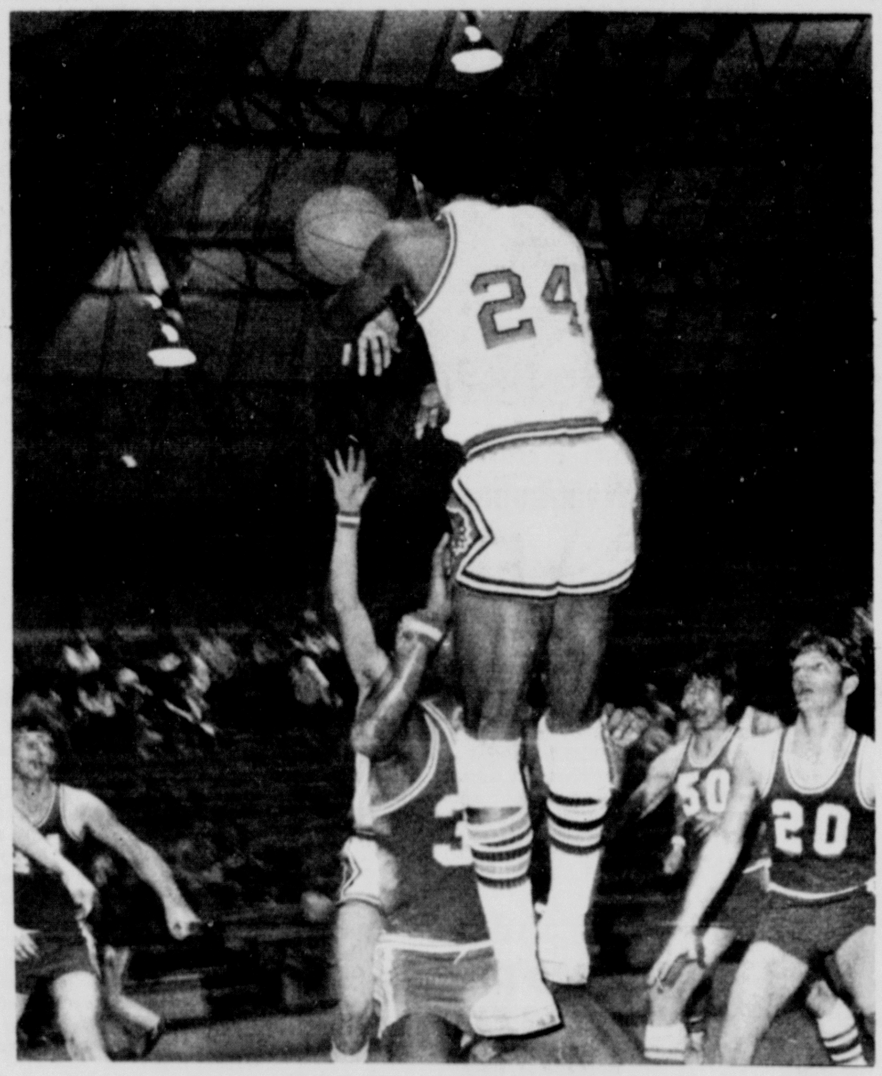

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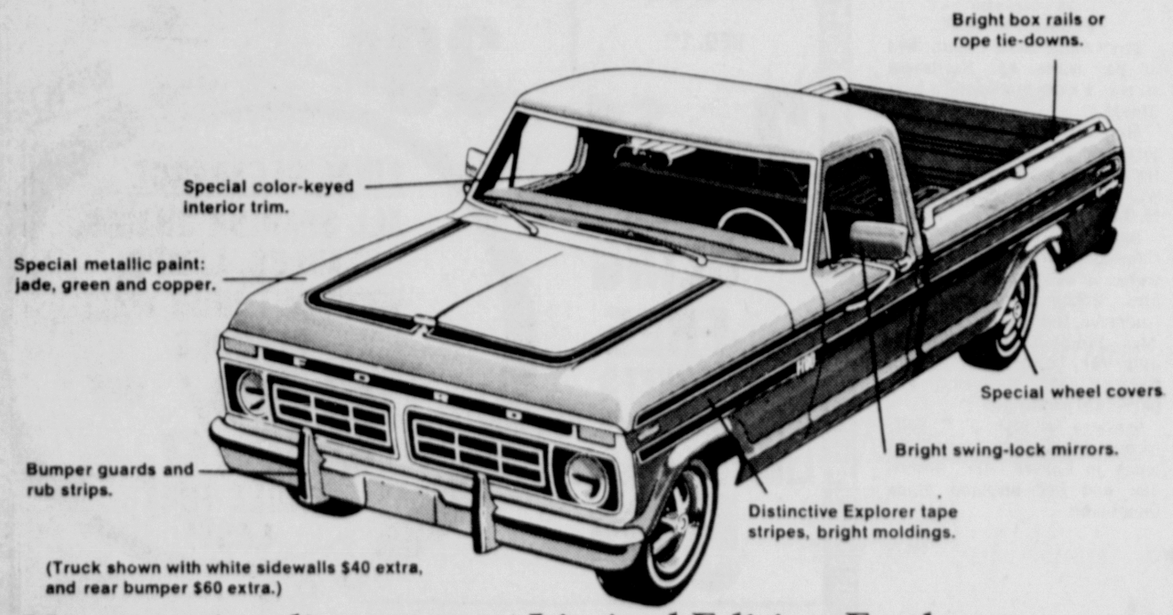

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The Wildcats began to connect over a tight Camel zone defense in the second quarter after having shooting problems in the opening frame. Bloomfield tied the game at 27-27 at the half, then took the lead in the third period. Campbell became more aggressive defensively in the fourth quarter after finding themselves in a catch-up situation and were called for several fouls, but Bloomfield's freethrow shooting kept them ahead. Tim Bolin, who finished the contest with 17 points, hit nine of nine from the charity stripe in the fourth quarter.

Billy Rickman added 16 for Bloomfield, while Tim Holden threw in 12. Gordon fired in 20 for Campbell to lead all scorers, with Parsons getting 19.

Bloomfield also won the B game 58-55.

BLOOMFIELD (70)
Sharp 7, Bolin 17, Reagan 6, Rickman 16, Holden 12, Wethington 10, Miller 2. Totals: FG-26; FT-18; PF-21.

CAMPBELL (60)
Colbert 7, Rodery 4, Parsons 19, Gordon 20, Modlin 10. Totals: FG-23; FT-14; PF-19.

Score by Quarters:

Bloomfield	8	19	19	24	70
Campbell	13	14	14	19	60

Delta 80 Chaffee 61

DELTA— The Chaffee Red Devils, playing without the services of star guard Lindy Duncan, took an 80-61 beating at the hands of the Delta Bobcats Tuesday night at Delta.

Duncan suffered from an injured ankle and did not dress for the ballgame. The extent of his injuries were not known.

The Bobcats were up by seven points at the half, 33-26, then broke the game wide open with a 26-point explosion in the third quarter which put the game away. Keith Cook led a 12-player Delta scoring attack with 21 points, while Nate Crowden chipped in with 18 of his own. Don Kiefer led a list to eleven Chaffee players to score with 18.

DELTA (80)
Cook 21, Bock 8, Niswonger 2, Drew 9, Huffman 6, Carnell 2, Crowden 18, Brown 2, Kelly 4, Slinkard 2, Bucher 2, Duncan 4. Totals: FG-32; FT-11; PF-28.

CHAFFEE (61)
Newcomer 4, McKenzie 6, Denny 4, Bradshaw 2 Walter 3, Myers 7, Kiefer 18, Stubbs 2, Enderle 5, Naeve 3, Graves 7. Totals: FG-25; FT-11; PF-23.

Score by Quarters:

Delta	16	17	26	21	80
Chaffee	13	13	12	23	61

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LUTESVILLE— The Woodland Cardinals smothered the Fredericktown Blackcats here Tuesday night 70-44.

The Cardinals tenacious defense jumped on the hapless Blackcats in the first period and allowed their defense to rip nets for a 24-14 lead which they never relinquished.

Fredericktown was able to play close the rest of the way but a 19-11 fourth period by the home team put the game away.

Jennings Wilkinson dropped in 21 points in the game for Woodland and Beavens scored 15 to lead Fredericktown.

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Minson 10, Wesbecker 6, Smith 6, Moyers 6, Wilkinson 21, Wyatt 4, Crader 2, Francis 8, Ledbetter 5, Yeargan 2. Totals: FG-29; FT-12; PF-13.

FREDERICKTOWN (44)
Bennett 13, Cooper 1, Hayman 2, Palk 1, Smidt 6, Beavens 15, Tidwell 6. Totals: FG-19; FT-6; PF-19.

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CAPE CENTRAL— The CCHS Tigers ripped their rival Jackson 73-63 here Tuesday night in a SeMo conference basketball game.

Jackson enjoyed a brief lead 20-18 after the first period had come to a close but Central battled back to outscore the Indians 19-11 in the second period to take a 37-31 lead at the half.

Jackson's defense kept getting looser and looser at the third period rolled around allowing the Tigers to run away with the game in the third quarter.

David Ownens and Gary Hargans led the Tigers in scoring with 14 points apiece. Clay and Van Gilder led Jackson with 18. CAPE CENTRAL (73)
Benard 2, Owens 14, Williams 1, Hargans 14, Abernathy 6, Rosenthal 7, Miller 10, Farrar 6, McQuarry 3, Steigermeyer 10. Totals: FG-26; FT-21; PF-22.

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Van Gilder 18, Law 15, Beussink 6, Dumey 2, Bullinger 3, Gohn 12, Thompson 5, Adams 2. Totals: FG-23; FT-17; PF-27.

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Lilbourn 101 Delta C-7 82

DEERING— The Lilbourn Panthers' frontline trio of Frankie Robinson, Don Treadwell and Jimmie taker combined for 66 points Tuesday night as the defending 2-A state champions won a 101-82 shootout over Delta C-7 at Deering.

Lilbourn raced to a 26-16 first quarter lead and coach Bob Phelps began to substitute in the second quarter. Ten players in all scored for the Panthers, who led by as many as 25 late in the game.

Robinson gunned in 26 points, while Treadwell's inside work accounted for 22 more. Baker contributed 18 markers to the Lilbourn attack. High-scoring sophomore guard Cookie Rose of the Chargers led all scorers with 27, while Thomas Mead scored 20.

Lilbourn won the junior varsity game 79-54.

LILBOURN (101)
Robinson 26, Treadwell 22, Baker 18, Wilderness 4, Hubrins 2, Willis 10, Riggs 9, Burton 4, Roberts 2, Chamberlain 4. Totals: FG-45; FT-11; PF-24.

DELTA C-7 (82)
Mead 20, Ward 12, Rose 27, Riley 8, Tidwell 4, Woods 11. Totals: FG-35; FT-12; PF-17.

Score by Quarters:

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Delta C-7	16	24	25	17	82

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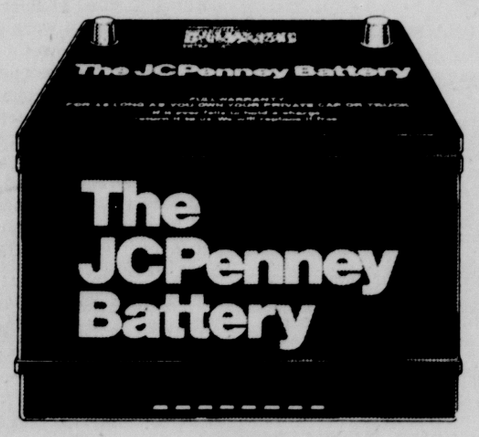

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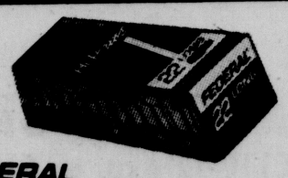

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Bloomfield 70 Campbell 60

BLOOMFIELD— The Bloomfield Wildcats snapped a lengthy losing steak Tuesday night with a 70-60 victory over the Campbell Camels.

The Wildcats began to connect over a tight Camel zone defense in the second quarter after having shooting problems in the opening frame. Bloomfield tied the game at 27-27 at the half, then took the lead in the third period. Campbell became more aggressive defensively in the fourth quarter after finding themselves in a catch-up situation and were called for several fouls, but Bloomfield's freethrow shooting kept them ahead. Tim Bolin, who finished the contest with 17 points, hit nine of nine from the charity stripe in the fourth quarter.

Billy Rickman added 16 for Bloomfield, while Tim Holden threw in 12. Gordon fired in 20 for Campbell to lead all scorers, with Parsons getting 19.

Bloomfield also won the B game 58-55.

BLOOMFIELD (70)
Sharp 7, Bolin 17, Reagan 6, Rickman 16, Holden 12, Wethington 10, Miller 2. Totals: FG-26; FT-18; PF-21.

CAMPBELL (60)
Colbert 7, Rodery 4, Parsons 19, Gordon 20, Modlin 10. Totals: FG-23; FT-14; PF-19.

Score by Quarters:

Bloomfield	8	19	19	24	--70
Campbell	13	14	14	19	--60

Delta 80 Chaffee 61

DELTA— The Chaffee Red Devils, playing without the services of star guard Lindy Duncan, took an 80-61 beating at the hands of the Delta Bobcats Tuesday night at Delta.

Duncan suffered from an injured ankle and did not dress for the ballgame. The extent of his injuries were not known.

The Bobcats were up by seven points at the half, 33-26, then broke the game wide open with a 26-point explosion in the third quarter which put the game away. Keith Cook led a 12-player Delta scoring attack with 21 points, while Nate Crowden chipped in with 18 of his own. Don Kiefer led a list to eleven Chaffee players to score with 18.

DELTA (80)
Cook 21, Bock 8, Niswonger 2, Drew 9, Huffman 6, Carnell 2, Crowden 18, Brown 2, Kelly 4, Slinkard 2, Bucher 2, Duncan 4. Totals: FG-32; FT-11; PF-28.

CHAFFEE (61)
Newcomer 4, McKenzie 6, Denny 4, Bradshaw 2 Walter 3, Myers 7, Kiefer 18, Stubbs 2, Enderle 5, Naeve 3, Graves 7. Totals: FG-25; FT-11; PF-23.

Score by Quarters:

Delta	16	17	26	21	--80
Chaffee	13	13	12	23	--61

Woodland 70 Fred'town 44

LUTESVILLE— The Woodland Cardinals smothered the Fredericktown Blackcats here Tuesday night 70-44.

The Cardinals tenacious defense jumped on the hapless Blackcats in the first period and allowed their defense to rip nets for a 24-14 lead which they never relinquished.

Fredericktown was able to play close the rest of the way but a 19-11 fourth period by the home team put the game away.

Jennings Wilkinson dropped in 21 points in the game for Woodland and Beavens scored 15 to lead Fredericktown.

WOODLAND (70)
Minson 10, Wesbecker 6, Smith 6, Moyers 6, Wilkinson 21, Wyatt 4, Crader 2, Francis 8, Ledbetter 5, Yeargan 2. Totals: FG-29; FT-12; PF-13.

FREDERICKTOWN (44)
Bennett 13, Cooper 1, Hayman 2, Palk 1, Smidt 6, Beavens 15, Tidwell 6. Totals: FG-19; FT-6; PF-19.

Score by Quarters:

Woodland	24	12	15	19	--70
Fred'ktown	14	11	8	11	--44

Cape Central

Cape Central 73 Jackson 63

CAPE CENTRAL— The CCHS Tigers ripped their rival Jackson 73-63 here Tuesday night in a SeMo conference basketball game.

Jackson enjoyed a brief lead 20-18 after the first period had come to a close but Central battled back to outscore the Indians 19-11 in the second period to take a 37-31 lead at the half.

Jackson's defense kept getting looser and looser at the third period rolled around allowing the Tigers to run away with the game in the third quarter.

David Ownens and Gary Hargans led the Tigers in scoring with 14 points apiece. Clay and Van Gilder led Jackson with 18.

CAPE CENTRAL (73)
Benard 2, Owens 14, Williams 1, Hargans 14, Abernathy 6, Rosenthal 7, Miller 10, Farrar 6, McQuarry 3, Steigermeyer 10. Totals: FG-26; FT-21; PF-22.

JACKSON (63)
Van Gilder 18, Law 15, Beussink 6, Dumey 2, Bullinger 3, Gohn 12, Thompson 5, Adams 2. Totals: FG-23; FT-17; PF-27.

Score by Quarters:

Cape	18	19	21	15	--73
Jackson	20	11	14	18	--63

Lilbourn 101 Delta C-7 82

DEERING— The Lilbourn Panthers' frontline trio of Frankie Robinson, Don Treadwell and Jimmie taker combined for 66 points Tuesday night as the defending 2-A state champions won a 101-82 shootout over Delta C-7 at Deering.

Lilbourn raced to a 26-16 first quarter lead and coach Bob Phelps began to substitute in the second quarter. Ten players in all scored for the Panthers, who led by as many as 25 late in the game.

Robinson gunned in 26 points, while Treadwell's inside work accounted for 22 more. Baker contributed 18 markers to the Lilbourn attack. High-scoring sophomore guard Cookie Rose of the Chargers led all scorers with 27, while Thomas Mead scored 20.

Lilbourn won the junior varsity game 79-54.

LILBOURN (101)
Robinson 26, Treadwell 22, Baker 18, Wilderness 4, Hubrins 2, Willis 10, Riggs 9, Burton 4, Roberts 2, Chamberlain 4. Totals: FG-45; FT-11; PF-24.

DELTA C-7 (82)
Mead 20, Ward 12, Rose 27, Riley 8, Tidwell 4, Woods 11. Totals: FG-35; FT-12; PF-17.

Score by Quarters:

Lilbourn	26	27	27	21	--101
Delta C-7	16	24	25	17	-- 82

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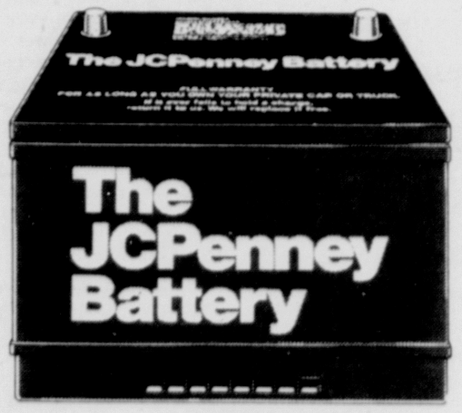

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HOSPITAL NOTES
MISSOURI DELTA

Released:
Peggy Harris, Charleston
Kimberly Hurley, Bertrand
Kelly Newton, Sikeston
Windle Dye, Sikeston
Connie Moody, Sikeston
Janie Potashnick and baby girl Sikeston
Elmer Grant, Sikeston
Ethel Ivie, East Prairie
Gary Phillips, Charleston
Homer Maddox, Essex
Martha Duffie, Bernie
Jerrie Yarbrough, Sikeston
Candy Banks, East Prairie
Louise Dorris, Sikeston
James Swank, Charleston
William Wilson, Catron
Moses Grayson, Sikeston
Sidney Reed, Caruthersville
Barbara Moss, Portageville
Jewell Waite, Villa Ridge, Ill.
Elizabeth Songer, EastPrairie
JoAnn Bryant, Chaffee
Edith Kindle, East Prairie
Zada Fisher, Chaffee
Patricia Johnson, East Prairie
Jack Long, East Prairie
Tracy Partin, Vanduser

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL

Admitted:
Glenda Overbey, Hayti
Judy McFadden, Hayti
Christopher Lowe, Hayti
Helen Moore, Hayti
Roosevelt Field, Hayti
Willeen Covington, Hayti
Janet Riesenaur, Hayti
Lonnie Jones, Caruthersville
Willie Conner, Caruthersville
Herman Kirk, Caruthersville
Bertha Greenwell, Caruthersville
Lula Smith, Cooter
Mary Porter, Bragg City
Amy Forthman, Conran
Timmy Barnes, Steele
Dora Allison, Steele
Kendall Stone, Portageville
Kathy Dixon, Portageville
Willie Cherry, Ridgely, Tenn.

Released:
Christie Watkins and baby boy, Caruthersville
Helen Clark, Caruthersville
Paul Robinson, Caruthersville
Mary Wheeler, Steele
Myrtle Adams, Portageville
Della Curtis, Conran
Susan Keoon, Gideon
Doyle Simms, Pascola

DEXTER MEMORIAL

Admitted:
Janice Harmon, Puxico
E. S. Kennedy, Dexter
Sue King, Essex
Gary Reddick, Puxico
Adolph Frederick, Advance
James E. Maple, Pusico
Edna Hering, Sikeston
Juanita Willoughby, Point Pleasant
Yvonne Johnson, Malden

Released:
Jim Miller, Malden
Betty Weathers, Dexter
Lester Rodgers, Bloomfield

CHAFFEE GENERAL

Admitted:
Herbert Blattel, Chaffee
Dorothy Cook, Marble Hill
Lucille Frazier, Chaffee
Resa Haynes, Charleston
Ricky Haynes, Charleston
Ronnie Haynes, Charleston
Tammyt Hendershott, Whiotewater
Deborah Pruitt, Illmo
Polly Shrum, Marblew Hill
William Vickery, Chaffee

Released:
Phillip Felden, Chaffee
Clifford Proffer, Chaffee
Mike Senciboy, Chaffee
Stephanie Thompson, Scott City
Earl Wills, Millersville

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

Released:
Mrs. Glenn Green and son, Benton
Mrs. Gary Scheart and son, Advance
Melvin Livingston, Scott City
John Walker, Chaffee
Joe Buell, Oran
Roger Williams, New Madrid
Mrs. Bruce Copeland, Sikeston

ST. FRANCIS

Released:
Laverna M. Clark, Kelso
Bernice Daniels, Parma
John I. Hamm, Benton

EMERGENCY PATIENTS

Accident patients treated and released Tuesday in the emergency room at Missouri Delta Comrnunity Hospital were:

Michael Buchanan, 27, Sikeston, scratches on knee and forehead in car accident; Michael Sanders, 21, Sikeston, cut side of abdomen while opening box; Carl O'Dell Jr., 14, East Prairie, object in eye; Uniek Williams, 11, Sikeston, second-degree burns on thigh with hot water; Kerry Heck, 19, Lilbourn, fractured fingers at work.

Charlotte Tidwell, 45, Kewanee, bruised leg on porch; Gary Rohlfing, 23, St. Louis, sprained shoulder in fall; Gerald Ingram, 48, Sikeston, sprained and bruised knee; Martha Saunders, 79, Wyatt, shelf fell on leg; Lisa Malloy, 10, Gray Ridge, fractured toe; Sue Robey, 24, Essex, stuck piece of wire in foot; and Timmy Williams, 15, Lilbourn, sprained knee in fall.

MAGISTRATE COURT

NEW MADRID — Charles Edward Thornton was fined $55 in New Madrid County Magistrate Court on charges of driving without an operator's license and speeding. Judge John R. Bailey also assessed fines for speeding charges against the following: Gerald D. Harrison, $53; Clifford John Leahy, $50; Roy Lee Page, $41; Leroy Williams, Vros Colakovic and Ike Bass Sr., $40 each; Robert W. Mellor Jr., $38; Dan Allen Tindle and James A. Thompson, $35 each; Dora Marie Plymate, $32; and Richard Arthur Wilson, $30.

FIRES

Firemen extinguished a car fire at 1:38 p.m. Tuesday at 306 Branum Ave.

The fire was apparently caused by a carburetor backfire and did minor damage to the car, which belongs to Danny Howard.

LOCAL STOCKS

	BID	ASK
Anheuser Busch	34¾	35¼
Clinton Oil	1⅞	2
Dollar General	10⅝	11
First Nat Bk of Sik	5	6
Jerrico	38½	39¼
Martha Manning	1¾	2½
Noranda Mines	32¾	33¾
Pabst Brewing	24⅝	25⅛
Reliable Life	9¼	10¼
Sterling Stores	5½	6¼
Wetterau	17½	18

LISTED STOCK

Allied Stores	46⅛
American Tel & Tel	55⅜
American Motors	5¾
Chrysler	14¾
Columbia Gas	24⅝
Eaton Mfg	35¼
Ford Motors	49⅛
General Motors	63
Interstate Brands	12¾
Malone & Hyde	25⅜
Mid South Util	15⅜
J. C. Penney	51
Union Elect	14⅜
Occidental Pet	16⅜
WalMart Stores	13¼

EDITOR'S NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer. These are listings at the close of the previous market.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum, Registered Representative for Rowland and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone 471-5350.

POLICE ARRESTS

Helen M. Freeman, 317 Illinois Ave., traffic signal violation.

Drew Bruce, Canalou, careless and imprudent driving.

Richard Dean Hampton, 171 Lee St., trespassing.

Danny Freeman, 116 N. Kingshighway, assault and battery and peace disturbance.

Rose Mary Herrick, 301 Kennedy Drive, operating a vehicle with expired license plates.

Myron E. Henderson, 218 Helen St., driving while intoxicated.

Herman Ray Hart, 107 Dudley Drive, speeding.

FIRES

NEW MADRID — The fire department was called at 1:15 p.m. Tuesday to River Roads Inn on Highway 61. An electrical motor was smoking, apparently after becoming overheated due to a partial power failure when lightning struck a transformer. No fire ignited.

RIVER STAGES
Mississippi River

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	10.5	+2.6
Cape Girardeau	32	15.1	+1.6
New Madrid	34	17.6	+1.7
Caruthersville	32	17.9	+1.4

Forecast

At Chester the river will rise .8 Thursday; rise .1 Friday; and rise .2 Saturday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will rise 2.5 Thursday; rise .8 Friday; and fall .3 Saturday.

At New Madrid the river will rise 2.7 Thursday; rise 2.7 Friday; and rise 2.8 Saturday.

At Caruthersville the river will rise 1.6 Thursday; rise 2.5 Friday; and rise 2.5 Saturday.

Ohio River

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	27.5	+3.6
Paducah	39	23.3	+3.6
Grand Chain	42	29.1	+3.1
Cairo	40	27.4	+2.7

Forecast

At Golconda the river will rise 2.8 Thursday; rise 2.9 Friday; and rise 2.2 Saturday.

At Paducah the river will rise 2.3 Thursday; rise 2.8 Friday; and rise 2.9 Saturday.

At Cairo the river will rise 2.8 Thursday; rise 2.9 Friday; and rise 1.7 Saturday.

WEATHER ELSEWHERE

Wednesday

	HI	LO	Prc	Otlk
Albany	50	30	.03	rn
Albu'que	48	25		clr
Amarillo	60	25		clr
Anchorage	19	1		clr
Asheville	73	57		rn
Atlanta	74	58		rn
Birmingham	79	58	.38	rn
Bismarck	37	28		cdy
Boise	44	31		rn
Boston	45	34		rn
Brownsville	83	61		clr
Buffalo	47	32	.26	rn
Charleston	69	52	.25	rn
Charlotte	76	54		rn
Chicago	41	36	.16	cdy
Cincinnati	63	51	1.33	rn
Cleveland	54	35	.06	rn
Denver	49	28		clr
Des Moines	42	35	.02	cdy
Detroit	48	34	.12	rn
Duluth	33	32	.05	cdy
Fairbanks	6	21		clr
Fort Worth	78	52	.24	clr
Green Bay	36	30	.07	rn
Helena	40	29	.07	cdy
Honolulu	81	70		clr
Houston	74	62		clr
Ind'apolis	58	52	.26	cdy
Jacks'ville	80	55		cdy
Juneau	27	5		clr
Kansas City	68	39		clr
Las Vegas	65	44		clr
Little Rock	66	54	1.60	cdy
Los Angeles	67	47		clr
Louisville	66	54	2.17	rn
Marquette	33	27	T	rn
Memphis	76	59	1.45	cdy
Miami	74	72		cdy
Milwaukee	38	35	.19	rn
Mpls-St. P.	39	34	.10	cdy
New Orleans	78	69		rn
New York	67	35	.09	rn
Okla. City	74	39		clr
Omaha	56	34		clr
Orlando	83	63		cdy
Philad'phia	68	39	.05	rn
Phoenix	70	48		clr
Pittsburgh	59	44	.38	rn
P'tland, Me.	36	25	.12	rn
P'tland, Ore.	50	40	.37	rn
Rapid City	47	26		cdy
Richmond	81	58		rn
St. Louis	56	53		cdy
Salt Lake	41	37		rn
San Diego	65	53		clr
San Fran	55	51		cdy
Seattle	47	37	.58	rn
Spokane	38	31	.27	cdy
Tampa	81	64		cdy
Washington	79	49		rn

H—Previous day's high.
Lo—This morning's low.
Prc—Precipitation for 24 hours ending 8 a.m. today Eastern Time.
Otlk—Sky conditions outlook for today.

GRAIN MARKET

CHICAGO (AP) — Grain futures prices were irregular in early dealings on the Chicago Board of Trade today.

On the opening, wheat futures were 2 cents a bushel lower to ½ higher, March 3.90; corn was ¼ lower to ½ higher, March 2.70½; oats were ¼ lower to ½ higher, March 1.62¼ and soybeans were 2 lower to 1½ higher, March 4.84.

LIVESTOCK

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Hogs 5,000. Butchers 50 lower. Sows 50-1.50 higher.

1-3 200-240 lb butchers 50.50-51.00.

1-3 300-500 lb sows 42.00-42.50; 500-600 lb 44.00-45.00.

Cattle receipts 900 head. Not enough slaughter steers or heifers to test market. Cows steady.

Utility and commercial cows 27.00-29.50; cutter 24.00-27.00; canner to low cutter 21.00-24.00.

Sheep 25 head. Not enough slaughter lambs to test market.

Estimated livestock receipts for Thursday: 4,500 hogs, 2,000 cattle and 50 sheep.

News in brief

STANFORD, Calif. (AP) — Activist Angela Davis will teach a course on Marxism at Stanford University this spring at the invitation of the students, according to the university.

The student senate voted 12 to 3 Tuesday to invite her and two other guest teachers — Ernest Mandel, a Marxist economist from Belgium, and Claude Steiner, a radical clinical psychologist from the San Francisco Bay area.

A special assessment of about $10,000, approved by a student referendum in 1974, is available to pay the teachers.

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — The 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals has declined to dismiss federal conspiracy and perjury charges against former Sen. Edward J. Gurney, R-Fla.

The appeals court rejected Gurney's claim that the federal grand jury which indicted him in Jacksonville, Fla., nearly two years ago was selected unfairly.

Gurney and a former aide, Joseph Bastien, are scheduled for a retrial in Orlando March 1 on charges of conspiring to solicit campaign contributions from Florida builders in return for favors from the Federal Housing Administration.

The court released its decision Wednesday.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Susan Ford is leaving her job as an Associated Press stringer, or part-time, photographer, because she is playing a partisan role in campaigning for her father's election to a full term as President.

Miss Ford, 18, had last taken photographs for The AP in December before she took a leave from Mount Vernon College to vacation in Colorado. Since returning from Colorado, she campaigned for her father in New Hampshire.

Press Secretary Sheila Weidenfeld said Wednesday Susan discussed the matter with her mother before deciding what to do.

The AP had discussed Miss Ford's status with her earlier in the day. AP policy prohibits partisan activity by its staff members.

Miss Ford began work as an AP photo stringer last fall.

She had previously worked for the Topeka, Kan., Capital-Journal.

63 savings and loan firms listed as problem institutions

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Home Loan Bank Board says 63 savings and loan institutions were listed as "problem institutions" in 1975, with 15 of them in the most serious category.

A spokesman for the board said the 15 were considered as likely to require government financial help unless "drastic changes" occur.

The remaining 48 are in a less serious condition but "give cause for more than ordinary concern and require aggressive supervisory attention," he said, declining to name any of the institutions.

The 63 problem institutions listed at the end of 1975 had assets totalling nearly $5.6 billion, which was 1.7 per cent of all assets of insured institutions, totaling $330.3 billion. The 15 seriously troubled institutions reportedly had assets totalling $688 million.

The number of institutions on the problem list is up from 1974, when the total was 51, but below the 96 reported at the end of 1970.

The bank board is the federal regulatory agency for the 4,079 state and federally chartered institutions whose deposits are insured by the federal government. The spokesman said the board is not alarmed by number of institutions currently listed.

In other economic developments:

—The Commerce Department released figures showing the United States ended 1975 with a surplus of $3.3 billion in its balance of foreign payments by one measure and a deficit of $2 billion by another.

Other figures included in the report showed the nation in a favorable position in international financial dealings in 1975. The agency said the U.S. dollar gained in strength by 6 per cent during the year in comparison with the value of other major currencies.

Commerce said the U.S. balance of payments, measured on a net liquidity basis, had a $992-million deficit in the final quarter of the year, but wound up 1975 with a $3.3-billion surplus over-all. The liquidity balance measures the flow of dollars across U.S. borders in private and government transactions. There was a deficit in this account of $18.9 billion in 1974.

The department said the nation's payments activity on the so-called official reserve transaction basis was in deficit by $2 billion during the final quarter of 1975 and also in the red by $2 billion for the entire year. The official reserve balance measures dollars held in foreign banks through exchange marketing operations. The deficit in this account in 1974 was nearly $8.4 billion.

The 1975 deficit was the smallest since 1969, when there was a surplus of more than $2.8 billion, the agency said.

Commerce said that during the final quarter of 1975, the flow of dollars abroad increased by $3.8 billion, while flow of money into the United States from private sources abroad declined $2.8 billion.

The agency also reported that the United States had a surplus in its foreign trade, excluding military trade, of more than $9.1 billion in 1975, the largest surplus since $10.1 billion in 1947.

—Comptroller of the Currency James Smith has denied his agency is guilty of "regulatory laxity" in approving bank mergers.

He challenged an assessment of the agency's performance by Sen. William Proxmire, D-Wis., chairman of the Senate Banking Committee.

Smith said only five of 390 bank mergers approved through his office were tested in the courts through suits brought by the Department of Justice. He said four of the five ultimately were upheld by the courts while the fifth was abandoned by the banks involved as being too costly to warrant further court actin.

"Unlike the senator's analysis, the courts take into account the requirements of the Bank Merger Act that anti-competitive factors must be balanced against the public needs and conveniences to be served by each proposed merger," Smith said.

—Former Treasury Secretary Henry H. Fowler told the Senate international finance and resources subcommittee that despite global inflation and recession, no coordinated, international program to restore sustained, non-inflation growth has emerged.

However, he said international monetary experts were beginning to recognize "global inflation as a new problem requiring new policies."

Fowler said political leaders in the major industrialized nations share a responsibility "to restore anti-inflationary fiscal year monetary disciplines and related antinflation measures to a prime place in national economic policy."

Paul A. Volcker, a former undersecretary of the treasury and now president of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, told the same panel that government, in trying to curb inflation should "avoid the temptation to strike out in radically new directions, and to adopt extreme policies that might contribute to new distortions and doubts."

—A congressional study said declining efficiency of new investment has reduced the nation's economic growth by nearly one per cent a year since 1966 and has cost about $10 billion a year in lost output.

The study was written for the congressional Joint Economic Committee by John W. Kendrick, professor of economics at George Washington University here. It said that because of a decline in economic efficiency it now takes significantly more investment in equipment and human skills to produce $1 worth of output than it did 10 years ago.

The study said the reduced efficiency is caused by a recent decline in spending for research and development and by bottlenecks in certain basic industries caused by inadequate investment.

Congress to watch Ford action closely

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford's actions to reorganize U.S. intelligence — including a curb on presidential power to order covert operations — are headed for close congressional scrutiny.

Sen. Walter F. Mondale, D-Minn., the second-ranking Democrat on the Senate intelligence committee, said hearings will be held on Ford's proposals "as soon as practical."

Rep. Otis G. Pike, D-N.Y., former chairman of the disbanded House intelligence committee, complained that Ford's proposal will keep control of U.S. intelligence under the secret oversight of "a very small number of people in the executive branch. It's going to depend on those people whether we go back to the abuses of the past."

Pike continued, "The emphasis is on secrecy rather than oversight."

Chairwoman Bella S. Abzug, D-N.Y., of the House government information subcommittee asserted, "As usual, President Ford offers a band aid where surgery is needed."

She said all U.S. covert political and paramilitary operations should be outlawed and the intelligence agencies restructured to limit them strictly to intelligence-gathering operations.

But the senior Republicans of both the House and Senate committees praised Ford's actions, proposals and recommendations.

Sen. John Tower, R-Tex., said Ford took "a positive and carefully planned initiative" to tighten controls on intelligence.

Rep. Robert McClory, R-Ill., said intelligence controls belong in the executive branch where Ford put them and said Ford at the same time "has built in safeguards against abuses."

Pike said congressional leaders were told Ford will recommend creation of a joint House-Senate intelligence committee to perform the oversight function now done by three Senate and three House panels.

Leaders of the House and Senate committees have proposed creation of separate Senate and House intelligence committees with strong powers to keep watch over intelligence activities.

Engineers say nuclear safety checks are lax

WASHINGTON (AP) — The federal safety checks on nuclear reactor controls are less stringent than those governing toasters and hair dryers, according to three engineers who quit their jobs to warn of dangers of nuclear power.

The three, who resigned from middle-level management positions at General Electric's nuclear division on Feb. 2 so they could focus attention on nuclear safety defects, warned today that federal regulations lack any requirement for an independent review of certain nuclear controls.

They made their statement in testimony prepared for the Joint Atomic Energy Committee.

The three former General Electric officials, Dale G. Bridenbaugh, Richard B. Hubbard and Gregory C. Minor, said in their statement, however, that the ability of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to effectively regulate the nuclear industry is suspect.

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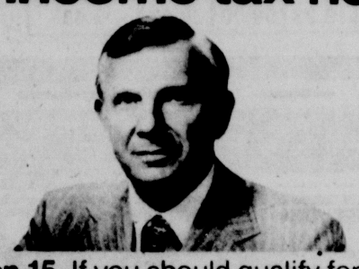

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Janie Potashnick and baby girl Sikeston
Elmer Grant, Sikeston
Ethel Ivie, East Prairie
Gary Phillips, Charleston
Homer Maddox, Essex
Martha Duffie, Bernie
Jerrie Yarbrough, Sikeston
Candy Banks, East Prairie
Louise Dorris, Sikeston
James Swank, Charleston
William Wilson, Catron
Moses Grayson, Sikeston
Sidney Reed, Caruthersville
Barbara Moss, Portageville
Jewell Waite, Villa Ridge, Ill.
Elizabeth Songer, EastPrairie
JoAnn Bryant, Chaffee
Edith Kindle, East Prairie
Zada Fisher, Chaffee
Patricia Johnson, East Prairie
Jack Long, East Prairie
Tracy Partin, Vanduser

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL

Admitted:
Glenda Overbey, Hayti
Judy McFadden, Hayti
Christopher Lowe, Hayti
Helen Moore, Hayti
Roosevelt Field, Hayti
Willeen Covington, Hayti
Janet Riesenaur, Hayti
Lonnie Jones, Caruthersville
Willie Conner, Caruthersville
Herman Kirk, Caruthersville
Bertha Greenwell, Caruthersville
Lula Smith, Cooter
Mary Porter, Bragg City
Amy Forthman, Conran
Timmy Barnes, Steele
Dora Allison, Steele
Kendall Stone, Portageville
Kathy Dixon, Portageville
Willie Cherry, Ridgely, Tenn.
Released:
Christie Watkins and baby boy, Caruthersville
Helen Clark, Caruthersville
Paul Robinson, Caruthersville
Mary Wheeler, Steele
Myrtle Adams, Portageville
Della Curtis, Conran
Susan Keoon, Gideon
Doyle Simms, Pascola

DEXTER MEMORIAL

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Janice Harmon, Puxico
E. S. Kennedy, Dexter
Sue King, Essex
Gary Reddick, Puxico
Adolph Frederick, Advance
James E. Maple, Pusico
Edna Hering, Sikeston
Juanita Willoughby, Point Pleasant
Yvonne Johnson, Malden
Released:
Jim Miller, Malden
Betty Weathers, Dexter
Lester Rodgers, Bloomfield

CHAFFEE GENERAL

Admitted:
Herbert Blattel, Chaffee
Dorothy Cook, Marble Hill
Lucille Frazier, Chaffee
Resa Haynes, Charleston
Ricky Haynes, Charleston
Ronnie Haynes, Charleston
Tammyt Hendershott, Whiotewater
Deborah Pruitt, Illmo
Polly Shrum, Marblew Hill
William Vickery, Chaffee
Released:
Phillip Felden, Chaffee
Clifford Proffer, Chaffee
Mike Senciboy, Chaffee
Stephanie Thompson, Scott City
Earl Wills, Millersville

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

Released:
Mrs. Glenn Green and son, Benton
Mrs. Gary Schearf and son, Advance
Melvin Livingston, Scott City
John Walker, Chaffee
Joe Buell, Oran
Roger Williams, New Madrid
Mrs. Bruce Copeland, Sikeston

ST. FRANCIS

Released:
Laverna M. Clark, Kelso
Bernice Daniels, Parma
John I. Hamm, Benton

EMERGENCY PATIENTS

Accident patients treated and released Tuesday in the emergency room at Missouri Delta Community Hospital were:

Michael Buchanan, 27, Sikeston, scratches on knee and forehead in car accident; Michael Sanders, 21, Sikeston, cut side of abdomen while opening box; Carl O'Dell Jr., 14, East Prairie, object in eye; Uniek Williams, 11, Sikeston, second-degree burns on thigh with hot water; Kerry Heck, 19, Lilbourn, fractured fingers at work.

Charlotte Tidwell, 45, Kewanee, bruised leg on porch; Gary Rohlfing, 23, St. Louis, sprained shoulder in fall; Gerald Ingram, 48, Sikeston, sprained and bruised knee; Martha Saunders, 79, Wyatt, shelf fell on leg; Lisa Malloy, 10, Gray Ridge, fractured toe; Sue Robey, 24, Essex, stuck piece of wire in foot; and Timmy Williams, 15, Lilbourn, sprained knee in fall.

MAGISTRATE COURT

NEW MADRID — Charles Edward Thornton was fined $55 in New Madrid County Magistrate Court on charges of driving without an operator's license and speeding. Judge John R. Bailey also assessed fines for speeding charges against the following: Gerald D. Harrison, $53; Clifford John Leahy, $50; Roy Lee Page, $41; Leroy Williams, Vros Colakovic and Ike Bass Sr., $40 each; Robert W. Mellor Jr., $38; Dan Allen Tindle and James A. Thompson, $35 each; Dora Marie Plymate, $32; and Richard Arthur Wilson, $30.

FIRES

Firemen extinguished a car fire at 1:38 p.m. Tuesday at 306 Branum Ave.

The fire was apparently caused by a carburetor backfire and did minor damage to the car, which belongs to Danny Howard.

LOCAL STOCKS

	BID	ASK
Anheuser Busch	34 3/4	35 1/4
Clinton Oil	1 7/8	2
Dollar General	10 5/8	11
First Nat Bk of Sik	5	6
Jerrico	38 1/2	39 1/4
Martha Manning	1 3/4	2 1/2
Noranda Mines	32 3/4	33 3/4
Pabst Brewing	24 5/8	25 1/8
Reliable Life	9 1/4	10 1/4
Sterling Stores	5 1/2	6 1/4
Wetterau	17 1/2	18

LISTED STOCK

Allied Stores	46 1/8
American Tel & Tel	55 3/8
American Motors	5 3/4
Chrysler	14 3/4
Columbia Gas	24 3/8
Eaton Mfg	35 1/4
Ford Motors	49 1/8
General Motors	63
Interstate Brands	12 3/4
Malone & Hyde	25 3/8
Mid South Util	15 3/8
J. C. Penney	51
Union Elect	14 3/8
Occidental Pet	16 3/8
WalMart Stores	13 1/4

EDITOR'S NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer. These are listings at the close of the previous market.

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POLICE ARRESTS

Helen M. Freeman, 317 Illinois Ave., traffic signal violation.

Drew Bruce, Canalou, careless and imprudent driving.

Richard Dean Hampton, 171 Lee St., trespassing.

Danny Freeman, 116 N. Kingshighway, assault and battery and peace disturbance.

Rose Mary Herrick, 301 Kennedy Drive, operating a vehicle with expired license plates.

Myron E. Henderson, 218 Helen St., driving while intoxicated.

Herman Ray Hart, 107 Dudley Drive, speeding.

FIRES

NEW MADRID — The fire department was called at 1:15 p.m. Tuesday to River Roads Inn on Highway 61. An electrical motor was smoking, apparently after becoming overheated due to a partial power failure when lightning struck a transformer. No fire ignited.

RIVER STAGES
Mississippi River

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	10.5	+2.6
Cape Girardeau	32	15.1	+1.6
New Madrid	34	17.6	+1.7
Caruthersville	32	17.9	+1.4

Forecast

At Chester the river will rise .8 Thursday; rise .1 Friday; and rise .2 Saturday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will rise 2.5 Thursday; rise .8 Friday; and fall .3 Saturday.

At New Madrid the river will rise 2.7 Thursday; rise 2.7 Friday; and rise 2.8 Saturday.

At Caruthersville the river will rise 1.6 Thursday; rise 2.5 Friday; and rise 2.5 Saturday.

Ohio River

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	27.5	+3.6
Paducah	39	23.3	+3.6
Grand Chain	42	29.1	+3.1
Cairo	40	27.4	+2.7

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At Golconda the river will rise 2.8 Thursday; rise 2.9 Friday; and rise 2.2 Saturday.

At Paducah the river will rise 2.3 Thursday; rise 2.8 Friday; and rise 2.9 Saturday.

At Cairo the river will rise 2.8 Thursday; rise 2.9 Friday; and rise 1.7 Saturday.

WEATHER ELSEWHERE

Wednesday

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany	50	30	.03	rn
Albu'que	48	25		clr
Amarillo	60	25		clr
Anchorage	19	1		clr
Asheville	73	57		rn
Atlanta	74	58		rn
Birmingham	79	58	.38	rn
Bismarck	37	28		cdy
Boise	44	31		rn
Boston	45	34		rn
Brownsville	83	61		clr
Buffalo	47	32	.26	rn
Charleston	69	52	.25	rn
Charlotte	76	54		rn
Chicago	41	36	.16	cdy
Cincinnati	63	51	1.33	rn
Cleveland	54	35	.06	rn
Denver	49	28		clr
Des Moines	42	35	.02	cdy
Detroit	48	34	.12	rn
Duluth	33	32	.05	cdy
Fairbanks	6	21		clr
Fort Worth	78	52	.24	clr
Green Bay	36	30	.07	rn
Helena	40	29	.07	cdy
Honolulu	81	70		clr
Houston	74	62		clr
Ind'apolis	58	52	.26	cdy
Jacks'ville	80	55		cdy
Juneau	27	5		clr
Kansas City	68	39		clr
Las Vegas	65	44		clr
Little Rock	66	54	1.60	cdy
Los Angeles	67	47		clr
Louisville	66	54	2.17	rn
Marquette	33	27	T	rn
Memphis	76	59	1.45	cdy
Miami	74	72		cdy
Milwaukee	38	35	.19	rn
Mpls-St. P.	39	34	.10	cdy
New Orleans	78	69		rn
New York	67	35	.09	rn
Okla. City	74	39		clr
Omaha	56	34		clr
Orlando	83	63		cdy
Philad'phia	68	39	.05	rn
Phoenix	70	48		clr
Pittsburgh	59	44	.38	rn
P'tland, Me.	36	25	.12	rn
P'tland, Ore.	50	40	.37	rn
Rapid City	47	26		cdy
Richmond	81	58		rn
St. Louis	56	53		cdy
Salt Lake	41	37		rn
San Diego	65	53		clr
San Fran	55	51		cdy
Seattle	47	37	.58	rn
Spokane	38	31	.27	cdy
Tampa	81	64		cdy
Washington	79	49		rn

H—Previous day's high.
Lo—This morning's low.
Prc—Precipitation for 24 hours ending 8 a.m. today Eastern Time.
Otlk—Sky conditions outlook for today.

GRAIN MARKET

CHICAGO (AP) — Grain futures prices were irregular in early dealings on the Chicago Board of Trade today.

On the opening, wheat futures were 2 cents a bushel lower to 1/2 higher, March 3.90; corn was 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher, March 2.70 1/2; oats were 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher, March 1.62 1/4 and soybeans were 2 lower to 1 1/2 higher, March 4.84.

LIVESTOCK

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Hogs 5,000. Butchers 50 lower. Sows 50-1.50 higher.

1-3 200-240 lb butchers 50.50-51.00.

1-3 300-500 lb sows 42.00-42.50; 500-600 lb 44.00-45.00.

Cattle receipts 900 head. Not enough slaughter steers or heifers to test market. Cows steady.

Utility and commercial cows 27.00-29.50; cutter 24.00-27.00; canner to low cutter 21.00-24.00.

Sheep 25 head. Not enough slaughter lambs to test market.

Estimated livestock receipts for Thursday: 4,500 hogs, 2,000 cattle and 50 sheep.

News in brief

STANFORD, Calif. (AP) — Activist Angela Davis will teach a course on Marxism at Stanford University this spring at the invitation of the students, according to the university.

The student senate voted 12 to 3 Tuesday to invite her and two other guest teachers — Ernest Mandel, a Marxist economist from Belgium, and Claude Steiner, a radical clinical psychologist from the San Francisco Bay area.

A special assessment of about $10,000, approved by a student referendum in 1974, is available to pay the teachers.

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — The 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals has declined to dismiss federal conspiracy and perjury charges against former Sen. Edward J. Gurney, R-Fla.

The appeals court rejected Gurney's claim that the federal grand jury which indicted him in Jacksonville, Fla., nearly two years ago was selected unfairly.

Gurney and a former aide, Joseph Bastien, are scheduled for a retrial in Orlando March 1 on charges of conspiring to solicit campaign contributions from Florida builders in return for favors from the Federal Housing Administration.

The court released its decision Wednesday.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Susan Ford is leaving her job as an Associated Press stringer, or part-time, photographer, because she is playing a partisan role in campaigning for her father's election to a full term as President.

Miss Ford, 18, had last taken photographs for The AP in December before she took a leave from Mount Vernon College to vacation in Colorado. Since returning from Colorado, she campaigned for her father in New Hampshire.

Press Secretary Sheila Weidenfeld said Wednesday Susan discussed the matter with her mother before deciding what to do.

The AP had discussed Miss Ford's status with her earlier in the day. AP policy prohibits partisan activity by its staff members.

Miss Ford began work as an AP photo stringer last fall.

She had previously worked for the Topeka, Kan., Capital-Journal.

63 savings and loan firms listed as problem institutions

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Home Loan Bank Board says 63 savings and loan institutions were listed as "problem institutions" in 1975, with 15 of them in the most serious category.

A spokesman for the board said the 15 were considered as likely to require government financial help unless "drastic changes" occur.

The remaining 48 are in a less serious condition but "give cause for more than ordinary concern and require aggressive supervisory attention," he said, declining to name any of the institutions.

The 63 problem institutions listed at the end of 1975 had assets totalling nearly $5.6 billion, which was 1.7 per cent of all assets of insured institutions, totaling $330.3 billion. The 15 seriously troubled institutions reportedly had assets totalling $688 million.

The number of institutions on the problem list is up from 1974, when the total was 51, but below the 96 reported at the end of 1970.

The bank board is the federal regulatory agency for the 4,079 state and federally chartered institutions whose deposits are insured by the federal government. The spokesman said the board is not alarmed by number of institutions currently listed.

In other economic developments:

—The Commerce Department released figures showing the United States ended 1975 with a surplus of $3.3 billion in its balance of foreign payments by one measure and a deficit of $2 billion by another.

Other figures included in the report showed the nation in a favorable position in international financial dealings in 1975. The agency said the U.S. dollar gained in strength by 6 per cent during the year in comparison with the value of other major currencies.

Commerce said the U.S. balance of payments, measured on a net liquidity basis, had a $992-million deficit in the final quarter of the year, but wound up 1975 with a $3.3-billion surplus over-all. The liquidity balance measures the flow of dollars across U.S. borders in private and government transactions. There was a deficit in this account of $18.9 billion in 1974.

The department said the nation's payments activity on the so-called official reserve transaction basis was in deficit by $2 billion during the final quarter of 1975 and also in the red by $2 billion for the entire year. The official reserve balance measures dollars held in foreign banks through exchange marketing operations. The deficit in this account in 1974 was nearly $8.4 billion.

The 1975 deficit was the smallest since 1969, when there was a surplus of more than $2.8 billion, the agency said.

Commerce said that during the final quarter of 1975, the flow of dollars abroad increased by $3.8 billion, while flow of money into the United States from private sources abroad declined $2.8 billion.

The agency also reported that the United States had a surplus in its foreign trade, excluding military trade, of more than $9.1 billion in 1975, the largest surplus since $10.1 billion in 1947.

—Comptroller of the Currency James Smith has denied his agency is guilty of "regulatory laxity" in approving bank mergers.

He challenged an assessment of the agency's performance by Sen. William Proxmire, D-Wis., chairman of the Senate Banking Committee.

Smith said only five of 390 bank mergers approved through his office were tested in the courts through suits brought by the Department of Justice. He said four of the five ultimately were upheld by the courts while the fifth was abandoned by the banks involved as being too costly to warrant further court actin.

"Unlike the senator's analysis, the courts take into account the requirements of the Bank Merger Act that anti-competitive factors must be balanced against the public needs and conveniences to be served by each proposed merger," Smith said.

—Former Treasury Secretary Henry H. Fowler told the Senate international finance and resources subcommittee that despite global inflation and recession, no coordinated, international program to restore sustained, non-inflation growth has emerged.

However, he said international monetary experts were beginning to recognize "global inflation as a new problem requiring new policies."

Fowler said political leaders in the major industrialized nations share a responsibility "to restore anti-inflationary fiscal year monetary disciplines and related antinflation measures to a prime place in national economic policy."

Paul A. Volcker, a former undersecretary of the treasury and now president of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, told the same panel that government, in trying to curb inflation should "avoid the temptation to strike out in radically new directions, and to adopt extreme policies that might contribute to new distortions and doubts."

—A congressional study said declining efficiency of new investment has reduced the nation's economic growth by nearly one per cent a year since 1966 and has cost about $10 billion a year in lost output.

The study was written for the congressional Joint Economic Committee by John W. Kendrick, professor of economics at George Washington University here. It said that because of a decline in economic efficiency it now takes significantly more investment in equipment and human skills to produce $1 worth of output than it did 10 years ago.

The study said the reduced efficiency is caused by a recent decline in spending for researh and development and by bottlenecks in certain basic industries caused by inadequate investment.

Congress to watch Ford action closely

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford's actions to reorganize U.S. intelligence — including a curb on presidential power to order covert operations — are headed for close congressional scrutiny.

Sen. Walter F. Mondale, D-Minn., the second-ranking Democrat on the Senate intelligence committee, said hearings will be held on Ford's proposals "as soon as practical."

Rep. Otis G. Pike, D-N.Y., former chairman of the disbanded House intelligence committee, complained that Ford's proposal will keep control of U.S. intelligence under the secret oversight of "a very small number of people in the executive branch. It's going to depend on those people whether we go back to the abuses of the past."

Pike continued, "The emphasis is on secrecy rather than oversight."

Chairwoman Bella S. Abzug, D-N.Y., of the House government information subcommittee asserted, "As usual, President Ford offers a band aid where surgery is needed."

She said all U.S. covert political and paramilitary operations should be outlawed and the intelligence agencies restructured to limit them strictly to intelligence-gathering operations.

But the senior Republicans of both the House and Senate committees praised Ford's actions, proposals and recommendations.

Sen. John Tower, R-Tex., said Ford took "a positive and carefully planned initiative" to tighten controls on intelligence.

Rep. Robert McClory, R-Ill., said intelligence controls belong in the executive branch where Ford put them and said Ford at the same time "has built in safeguards against abuses."

Pike said congressional leaders were told Ford will recommend creation of a joint House-Senate intelligence committee to perform the oversight function now done by three Senate and three House panels.

Leaders of the House and Senate committees have proposed creation of separate Senate and House intelligence committees with strong powers to keep watch over intelligence activities.

Engineers say nuclear safety checks are lax

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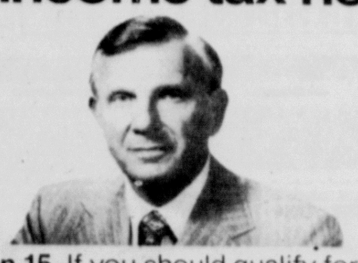

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Johnny F. Fitts

Services for Johnny Franklin Fitts, 19, of Route One, who was killed at 9 a.m. Tuesday in a car-train accident at the Salcedo Road rail crossing, are scheduled at 3:30 p.m. Thursday in Nunnelee Funeral Chapel. The Rev. Bill Meeks, pastor of the Charleston General Baptist Church, will officiate.

Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery.

Friends may call after 4 p.m. today at the funeral chapel.

Born Sept. 7, 1956 in Savannah, Tenn., to Ulie and Bernice Christopher Fitts of Route One, he farmed with his father.

In addition to his parents, survivors include one brother, James Allen Fitts of the home; four sisters, Mrs. Pat Crowell and Mrs. Kathy Duncan of Sikeston and Tammy and Sherri Fitts of the home; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Christopher of Morehouse; and paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fitts of Savannah, Tenn.

Rachel Covey

MALDEN— Rachel Covey, 78, died at 12:30 p.m. Tuesday in Dunklin County Memorial Hospital at Kennett.

She was born March 6, 1897 in Parma.

On Sept. 15, 1959, she married Joe Franklin Covey, who survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Mable Becker of Bernie and Ruby Bramlett of New Madrid; two brothers, Omby Powers of East Prairie and Mooring Powers of Malden; and 15 grandchildren and 32 great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 6 p.m. today at Duffie-Rainey Funeral Home in Bernie, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Thursday.

Burial will follow in Mt. Gilead Cemetery.

Samuel Organ

EAST PRAIRIE— Samuel Marion Organ Sr., 69, a farmer in the Sugar Tree Ridge community, died at 1:40 p.m. Tuesday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston following an extended illness.

Born Aug. 14, 1906 in Caruthersville, son of the late Louie and Ruth Mary Summers Organ, he had lived in the East Prairie area most of his life and was a member of First Baptist Church.

On June 7, 1930, he married Mildred Josephine Johnson, who survives. Two sons, one daughter and a brother preceded him in death.

Also surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Mary Edith Davis of rural East Prairie; six sons, Larry and Fred Organ of rural East Prairie, Whitson Organ of Chicago, Charles and Louie Organ of St. Louis and James Organ of Immokalee, Fla.; four sisters, Mrs. Jesse (Ella) Bryant of East Prairie, Mrs. Roy (Jessie) Cox of Charleston, Mrs. Rex (Blanche) Smith of Lesterville and Mrs. Clabe (Ruth) Arnold of Roselle; one brother, Ollie Organ of East Prairie; and 13 grandchildren.

Friends may call at Shelby Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Thursday. The Revs. Ted Wimberley, pastor of First Baptist Church, and Jean Estes, pastor of the Church of God of Prophecy, will officiate.

Burial will follow in Dogwood Cemetery.

Linzy Garrison

PORTAGEVILLE— Linzy Odell Garrison, 16, died Tuesday in William F. Bowld Hospital at Memphis, Tenn., following an extended illness.

He was born April 13, 1959 in Hayti.

Survivors include his mother, Wanda Louise Gambrel, and stepfather, Jessie Gambrel, of Portageville; two brothers, Billy Ray Garrison and Jessie Ray Gambrel of Portageville; and two sisters, Carolyn Gail Gambrel and Dian Garrison of Portageville.

Friends may call at DeLisle Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. Royal Roberts officiating.

Burial will be in Portageville Cemetery.

Sam N. Cowell

MALDEN— Sam Neal Cowell, 95, a retired farmer, died Tuesday at his home.

He was born June 6, 1880 in Muskogee, Okla., to the late Franklin and Molly McCracken Cowell.

On Oct. 1, 1916 in Danville, Ark., he married Lila Gilkey, who survives. One son and one daughter preceded him in death.

Survivors include five sons, Charley Cowell of Wichita, Kan., Frank and Billy Cowell of Malden, Tom Cowell of Durand, Mich., and Jim Cowell of Flint, Mich.; six daughters, Walvie Avery and Sina Kimbrough of Belleville, Ark., Gladys Napier of St. Louis, Nellie Hinson of Memphis, Ida Belle Alexander of Flint and Cora Gregory of Malden; one sister, Lissie Gilkey of Fort Smith, Ark.; and 42 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Friends may call at Bradsahw Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. Paul Aldrich officiating.

Burial will follow in Stanfield Cemetery near Clarkton.

Norvell Duncan

SHAWNEE MISSION, Kan. — Norvell William Duncan, 59, a former Kennett, Mo., resident and father of Keith Duncan of Sikeston, Mo., died Monday at Shawnee Mission Medical Center.

Born Aug. 23, 1916 in Puxico, Mo., to the late Bernie and Lora Kirk Duncan, he had lived in Kennett for 30 years before moving to the Kansas City area, where he was assistant vice president and director of farm loans for Kansas City Life Insurance Co.

Duncan was a member of the Lions Club and Masonic Lodge at Kennett, American Society of Rural Appraisers and the Raytown Baptist Church.

On Nov. 15, 1936 at Kennett, he married Luella Murdock, who survives.

In addition to his widow and son, he is survived by one daughter, Marcia Duncan of Kansas City; two brothers, Bernie Duncan of Corpus Christi, Tex., and Gene Duncan of St. Louis; and two grandchildren.

Friends may call after 4 p.m. today at Watkins & Sons Funeral Home in Puxico.

Services are scheduled Thursday at 2 p.m. in the Puxico Christian Church with the Rev. Owen Sherrill of Kennett officiating, assisted by Greg Stout of Puxico, and Judge Flake McHaney of Kennett will deliver a eulogy.

Burial will follow in the Puxico Cemetery.

Worker's death ruled accidental

NEW MADRID— The Feb. 4 death of Ronald Blaine Ray, 32, of East Prairie was caused by an accidental fall according to an official ruling by New Madrid County Coroner Gene Clayton.

Ray, a boilermaker employed by Babcock & Wilcox Construction Co., was killed when he fell about 38 feet while working at the power plant construction site in St. Jude Industrial Park.

Clayton had delayed making a ruling until he could talk with co-workers who were at the scene when Ray fell.

A job foreman and two other men told Clayton that from what they could see, Ray, in some manner, lost his balance and slipped and fell while descending from a structure when he had completed changing rigging on a hoist at the fourth floor level.

Ray was not known to have had any health problems, Clayton said.

News in brief

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford says he and challenger Ronald Reagan differ on some issues. But whether it's a philosophical difference seems to depend on which of the President's statements one hears. At one point in a news conference Tuesday night, Ford said "Governor Reagan is to the right of me philosophically." But later in response to another question, Ford said "I don't think there are any philosophical differences ... I think he is to the right of me in a pragmatic and practical way."

WASHINGTON (AP) — A group of generally liberal scholars and politicians today urged mandatory prison sentences for violent offenders and called for an end to the parole system. The Committee for the Study of Incarceration concluded that a convicted offender should be punished with jail or some lesser penalty primarily "because he deserves it," not because of any hope of rehabilitation. But the panel also recommended that only the most vicious criminals should be jailed longer than five years.

3 hurt in collision

Three persons were injured Tuesday morning when a station wagon and pickup truck collided on South Main Street at the IGA Road intersection. Injured in the pickup (top photo) were the driver, Drew Bruce, 84, of Canalou, who received a bump on head, and a passenger, Elmer Bishop, 82, of Canalou, who had rib and lung injuries. The driver of the station wagon (bottom photo), Michael Buchanan, 27, of Sikeston Route Four, received minor cuts. Bishop and Buchanan were treated at Missouri Delta Community Hospital. Police said the accident occurred when Bishop's truck pulled from IGA Road into the path of the Buchanan vehicle, which was southbound on Main Street. (Daily Standard photo)

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take a time exposure. If you shoot faster than one-tenth of a second, shutter speed, you probably will not get anything.

When using such as slow shutter speed, you need a support -- either a tripod or a makeshift support, such as a car. He advises the use of a sensitive film. Kodak Tri-X is a good one to use, he said.

Those with non-adjustable cameras should not be discouraged, however, if they sight one of the lights.

A Polaroid camera is also a good camera to use, he said.

Rudledge is a solid state physicist with a doctor of philosophy degree from University of Missouri.

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rezoning requests cost the city an average of $36 for materials. With labor costs added, the cost was $53.

The increase in fees will cover the added material costs only.

Land sale

The city was asked to sell a small parcel of land at the intersection of Dudley and Plaza drives which was sold to the city for $1 by the state about three years ago.

The commission voted to recommend rejection of the request, saying the land might be important to the city in the future if the land to the north of the site is ever developed.

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DAvid Tlapek, all of Troop 16 in Cape Girardeau; Carl Black and Mark P. Wyrosdick of Troop 10 in Cape Girardeau; Thomas Drew and Kevin G. Whitfield of Troop 52 in Chaffee; Bill Port of Troop 4 in Cape Girardeau; David A. Brown, Lawrence C. Kasten, and Robert Ellis of Troop 311 in Jackson;

Thomas Trabue of Troop 27 in Jefferson City; and Mark Graham and Tom P. Schaefer of Troop 251 in Perryville.

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Bloomfield, Advance, Bell City and Essex-Gray Ridge on a monthly schedule.

Cline urges the public to take full advantage of the meetings. He said that if any individual is unhappy or has a complaint about the insurance industry, this is their chance to ask the man who makes the decisions for the state regulatory agency.

The Prayer

"What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God?" (Luke 8:28, RSV)

PRAYER: Father, whose power and love are revealed in Jesus, come to us with the resources of Your power that we may be strong within. Set us free from all that would degrade or destroy our lives. Enable us to live each day in the spirit of Him who is our strength. Amen.

No public hearings planned to get consumer comments

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — No public hearings to obtain consumer comments on continuation of controversial automatic rate boosts are planned by the Missouri Public Service Commission, which resumes its second day of final hearings on the matter today.

And the state Public Counsel's office, which represents consumers before the commission, does not plan to seek hearings for consumer comment because the issue too complex.

Asst. Public Counsel Gregory Christoffel, however, has asked the commission to include in the case record consumer testimony on the automatic rate boosts gained at other utility hearings.

Commissioner Stephen Jones said local hearings could still be requested. He acknowledged that public sentiment appears against continuing the practice.

Testimony during the opening hearing Tuesday indicated that utility filings to assess the fuel adjustment charge apparently have not been closely scrutinized since the charge was allowed for residential electric customers two years ago.

The PSC allowed the automatic monthly hikes on an experimental basis so utilities could quickly recover the soaring costs of fuel. Unless renewed, the practice will expire April 15, and part of these hearings will deal with a complaint that Kansas City Power and Light Co. improperly assessed the charge, allegedly overcharging customers at least $2 million last year.

Christoffel introduced copies of documents filed by utilities with the commission, and he pointed out in questioning that those of at least two — Union Electric of St. Louis and KCP&L — apparently did not conform to commission requirements.

Vernon Brouse, who reviews fuel adjustment matters for the PSC, said he had never been notified that either company had been relieved of the requirement.

Brouse also said he had no way of knowing the accuracy of cost information on power purchased by one utility from another and that the mehtod used by some co.panies in calculating their fuel adjustment charges could result in an overstating of the fuel actually used.

In another case, Brouse acknowledged no investigation had been conducted after a utility used a figure in its computation double that normally used by other utilities.

Christoffel said he was only trying to show that if the fuel adjustment procedure is retained, "it ought to be tightened up rather than loosened."

No-fault gains 1st round okay

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — No-fault automobile insurance for Missouri drivers gained first-round approval in the House Tuesday, marking the fourth consecutive year that chamber has approved it.

The Senate, meanwhile, defeated a second attempt to give the upper chamber a method to move important legislation to the top of the agenda.

The no-fault auto insurance measure requires compulsory insurance for all Missouri motorists, and limits liability claims to $12,000. Those injured under the measure would be paid benefits twice monthly which would cover most hospital and doctors bills, as well as paying up to 85 per cent of the individual's lost wages.

Proponents contend the no-fault insurance would decrease insurance premiums, whereas opponents believe it would increase payments.

Rep. Harold Holliday, D-Kansas City, said in every state where a strict no-fault bill has been approved, the rates have increased. He said the only states decreasing rates are those who provide an option to accept the no-fault settlement or the chance to sue through lawsuits.

He introduced an amendment which would have allowed such an option, but it was defeated 53-84.

Rep. Walter Meyer, D-Bellefontaine Neighbors, the yearly sponsor of the bill, said the present court system is clogged with pending accident lawsuits.

No-fault insurance has met with defeat each year in the Senate, last year dying in committee. The measure still must face final adoption in the House before the Senate can begin working on it.

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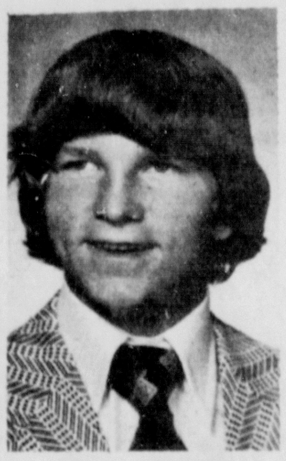


Johnny F. Fitts

Services for Johnny Franklin Fitts, 19, of Route One, who was killed at 9 a.m. Tuesday in a car-train accident at the Salcedo Road rail crossing, are scheduled at 3:30 p.m. Thursday in Nunnelee Funeral Chapel. The Rev. Bill Meeks, pastor of the Charleston General Baptist Church, will officiate.

Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery.

Friends may call after 4 p.m. today at the funeral chapel.

Born Sept. 7, 1956 in Savannah, Tenn., to Ulie and Bernice Christopher Fitts of Route One, he farmed with his father.

In addition to his parents, survivors include one brother, James Allen Fitts of the home; four sisters, Mrs. Pat Crowell and Mrs. Kathy Duncan of Sikeston and Tammy and Sherri Fitts of the home; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Christopher of Morehouse; and paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fitts of Savannah, Tenn.

Rachel Covey

MALDEN— Rachel Covey, 78, died at 12:30 p.m. Tuesday in Dunklin County Memorial Hospital at Kennett.

She was born March 6, 1897 in Parma.

On Sept. 15, 1959, she married Joe Franklin Covey, who survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Mable Becker of Bernie and Ruby Bramlett of New Madrid; two brothers, Omby Powers of East Prairie and Mooring Powers of Malden; and 15 grandchildren and 32 great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 6 p.m. today at Duffie-Rainey Funeral Home in Bernie, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Thursday.

Burial will follow in Mt. Gilead Cemetery.

Samuel Organ

EAST PRAIRIE— Samuel Marion Organ Sr., 69, a farmer in the Sugar Tree Ridge community, died at 1:40 p.m. Tuesday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston following an extended illness.

Born Aug. 14, 1906 in Caruthersville, son of the late Louie and Ruth Mary Summers Organ, he had lived in the East Prairie area most of his life and was a member of First Baptist Church.

On June 7, 1930, he married Mildred Josephine Johnson, who survives. Two sons, one daughter and a brother preceded him in death.

Also surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Mary Edith Davis of rural East Prairie; six sons, Larry and Fred Organ of rural East Prairie, Whitson Organ of Chicago, Charles and Louie Organ of St. Louis and James Organ of Immokalee, Fla.; four sisters, Mrs. Jesse (Ella) Bryant of East Prairie, Mrs. Roy (Jessie) Cox of Charleston, Mrs. Rex (Blanche) Smith of Lesterville and Mrs. Clabe (Ruth) Arnold of Roselle; one brother, Ollie Organ of East Prairie; and 13 grandchildren.

Friends may call at Shelby Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Thursday. The Revs. Ted Wimberley, pastor of First Baptist Church, and Jean Estes, pastor of the Church of God of Prophecy, will officiate.

Burial will follow in Dogwood Cemetery.

Linzy Garrison

PORTAGEVILLE— Linzy Odell Garrison, 16, died Tuesday in William F. Bowld Hospital at Memphis, Tenn., following an extended illness.

He was born April 13, 1959 in Hayti.

Survivors include his mother, Wanda Louise Gambrel, and stepfather, Jessie Gambrel, of Portageville; two brothers, Billy Ray Garrison and Jessie Ray Gambrel of Portageville; and two sisters, Carolyn Gail Gambrel and Dian Garrison of Portageville.

Friends may call at DeLisle Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. Royal Roberts officiating.

Burial will be in Portageville Cemetery.

Sam N. Cowell

MALDEN— Sam Neal Cowell, 95, a retired farmer, died Tuesday at his home.

He was born June 6, 1880 in Muskogee, Okla., to the late Franklin and Molly McCracken Cowell.

On Oct. 1, 1916 in Danville, Ark., he married Lila Gilkey, who survives. One son and one daughter preceded him in death.

Survivors include five sons, Charley Cowell of Wichita, Kan., Frank and Billy Cowell of Malden, Tom Cowell of Durand, Mich., and Jim Cowell of Flint, Mich.; six daughters, Walvie Avery and Sina Kimbrough of Belleville, Ark., Gladys Napier of St. Louis, Nellie Hinson of Memphis, Ida Belle Alexander of Flint and Cora Gregory of Malden; one sister, Lissie Gilkey of Fort Smith, Ark.; and 42 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Friends may call at Bradsahw Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. Paul Aldrich officiating.

Burial will follow in Stanfield Cemetery near Clarkton.

Norvell Duncan

SHAWNEE MISSION, Kan. — Norvell William Duncan, 59, a former Kennett, Mo., resident and father of Keith Duncan of Sikeston, Mo., died Monday at Shawnee Mission Medical Center.

Born Aug. 23, 1916 in Puxico, Mo., to the late Bernie and Lora Kirk Duncan, he had lived in Kennett for 30 years before moving to the Kansas City area, where he was assistant vice president and director of farm loans for Kansas City Life Insurance Co.

Duncan was a member of the Lions Club and Masonic Lodge at Kennett, American Society of Rural Appraisers and the Raytown Baptist Church.

On Nov. 15, 1936 at Kennett, he married Luella Murdock, who survives.

In addition to his widow and son, he is survived by one daughter, Marcia Duncan of Kansas City; two brothers, Bernie Duncan of Corpus Christi, Tex., and Gene Duncan of St. Louis; and two grandchildren.

Friends may call after 4 p.m. today at Watkins & Sons Funeral Home in Puxico.

Services are scheduled Thursday at 2 p.m. in the Puxico Christian Church with the Rev. Owen Sherrill of Kennett officiating, assisted by Greg Stout of Puxico, and Judge Flake McHaney of Kennett will deliver a eulogy.

Burial will follow in the Puxico Cemetery.

Worker's death ruled accidental

NEW MADRID— The Feb. 4 death of Ronald Blaine Ray, 32, of East Prairie was caused by an accidental fall according to an official ruling by New Madrid County Coroner Gene Clayton.

Ray, a boilermaker employed by Babcock & Wilcox Construction Co., was killed when he fell about 38 feet while working at the power plant construction site in St. Jude Industrial Park.

Clayton had delayed making a ruling until he could talk with co-workers who were at the scene when Ray fell.

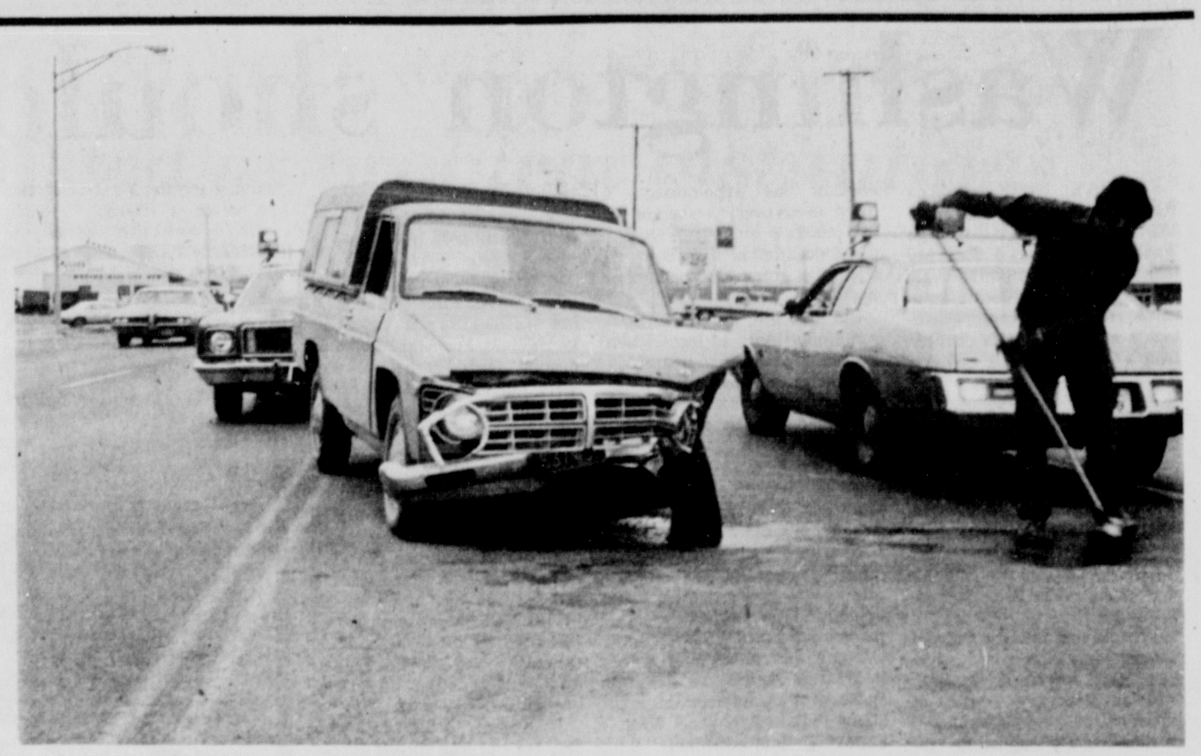
A job foreman and two other men told Clayton that from what they could see, Ray, in some manner, lost his balance and slipped and fell while descending from a structure when he had completed changing rigging on a hoist at the fourth floor level.

Ray was not known to have had any health problems, Clayton said.

News in brief

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford says he and challenger Ronald Reagan differ on some issues. But whether it's a philosophical difference seems to depend on which of the President's statements one hears. At one point in a news conference Tuesday night, Ford said "Governor Reagan is to the right of me philosophically." But later in response to another question, Ford said "I don't think there are any philosophical differences ... I think he is to the right of me in a pragmatic and practical way."

WASHINGTON (AP) — A group of generally liberal scholars and politicians today urged mandatory prison sentences for violent offenders and called for an end to the parole system. The Committee for the Study of Incarceration concluded that a convicted offender should be punished with jail or some lesser penalty primarily "because he deserves it," not because of any hope of rehabilitation. But the panel also recommended that only the most vicious criminals should be jailed longer than five years.



3 hurt in collision

Three persons were injured Tuesday morning when a station wagon and pickup truck collided on South Main Street at the IGA Road intersection. Injured in the pickup (top photo) were the driver, Drew Bruce, 84, of Canalou, who received a bump on head, and a passenger, Elmer Bishop, 82, of Canalou, who had rib and lung injuries. The driver of the station wagon (bottom photo), Michael Buchanan, 27, of Sikeston Route Four, received minor cuts. Bishop and Buchanan were treated at Missouri Delta Community Hospital. Police said the accident occurred when Bishop's truck pulled from IGA Road into the path of the Buchanan vehicle, which was southbound on Main Street.

(Daily Standard photo)

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rezoning requests cost the city an average of $36 for materials. With labor costs added, the cost was $53.

The increase in fees will cover the added material costs only.

Land sale

The city was asked to sell a small parcel of land at the intersection of Dudley and Plaza drives which was sold to the city for $1 by the state about three years ago.

The commission voted to recommend rejection of the request, saying the land might be important to the city in the future if the land to the north of the site is ever developed.

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take a time exposure. If you shoot faster than one-tenth of a second, shutter speed, you probably will not get anything.

When using such as slow shutter speed, you need a support -- either a tripod or a makeshift support, such as a car. He advises the use of a sensitive film. Kodak Tri-X is a good one to use, he said.

Those with non-adjustable cameras should not be discouraged, however, if they sight one of the lights.

A Polaroid camera is also a good camera to use, he said.

Rudledge is a solid state physicist with a doctor of philosophy degree from University of Missouri.

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DAvid Tlapek, all of Troop 16 in Cape Girardeau; Carl Black and Mark P. Wyrosdick of Troop 10 in Cape Girardeau; Thomas Drew and Kevin G. Whitfield of Troop 52 in Chaffee; Bill Port of Troop 4 in Cape Girardeau; David A. Brown, Lawrence C. Kasten, and Robert Ellis of Troop 311 in Jackson;

Thomas Trabue of Troop 27 in Jefferson City; and Mark Graham and Tom P. Schaefer of Troop 251 in Perryville.

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Bloomfield, Advance, Bell City and Essex-Gray Ridge on a monthly schedule.

Cline urges the public to take full advantage of the meetings. He said that if any individual is unhappy or has a complaint about the insurance industry, this is their chance to ask the man who makes the decisions for the state regulatory agency.

The Prayer

"What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God?" (Luke 8:28, RSV)

PRAYER: Father, whose power and love are revealed in Jesus, come to us with the resources of Your power that we may be strong within. Set us free from all that would degrade or destroy our lives. Enable us to live each day in the spirit of Him who is our strength. Amen.

No public hearings planned to get consumer comments

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — No public hearings to obtain consumer comments on continuation of controversial automatic rate boosts are planned by the Missouri Public Service Commission, which resumes its second day of final hearings on the matter today.

And the state Public Counsel's office, which represents consumers before the commission, does not plan to seek hearings for consumer comment because the issue too complex.

Asst. Public Counsel Gregory Christoffel, however, has asked the commission to include in the case record consumer testimony on the automatic rate boosts gained at other utility hearings.

Commissioner Stephen Jones said local hearings could still be requested. He acknowledged that public sentiment appears against continuing the practice.

Testimony during the opening hearing Tuesday indicated that utility filings to assess the fuel adjustment charge apparently have not been closely scrutinized since the charge was allowed for residential electric customers two years ago.

The PSC allowed the automatic monthly hikes on an experimental basis so utilities could quickly recover the soaring costs of fuel. Unless renewed, the practice will expire April 15, and part of these hearings will deal with a complaint that Kansas City Power and Light Co. improperly assessed the charge, allegedly overcharging customers at least $2 million last year.

Christoffel introduced copies of documents filed by utilities with the commission, and he pointed out in questioning that those of at least two — Union Electric of St. Louis and KCP&L — apparently did not conform to commission requirements.

Vernon Brouse, who reviews fuel adjustment matters for the PSC, said he had never been notified that either company had been relieved of the requirement.

Brouse also said he had no way of knowing the accuracy of cost information on power purchased by one utility from another and that the mehtod used by some co.panies in calculating their fuel adjustment charges could result in an overstating of the fuel actually used.

In another case, Brouse acknowledged no investigation had been conducted after a utility used a figure in its computation double that normally used by other utilities.

Christoffel said he was only trying to show that if the fuel adjustment procedure is retained, "it ought to be tightened up rather than loosened."

No-fault gains 1st round okay

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — No-fault automobile insurance for Missouri drivers gained first-round approval in the House Tuesday, marking the fourth consecutive year that chamber has approved it.

The Senate, meanwhile, defeated a second attempt to give the upper chamber a method to move important legislation to the top of the agenda.

The no-fault auto insurance measure requires compulsory insurance for all Missouri motorists, and limits liability claims to $12,000. Those injured under the measure would be paid benefits twice monthly which would cover most hospital and doctors bills, as well as paying up to 85 per cent of the individual's lost wages.

Proponents contend the no-fault insurance would decrease insurance premiums, whereas opponents believe it would increase payments.

Rep. Harold Holliday, D-Kansas City, said in every state where a strict no-fault bill has been approved, the rates have increased. He said the only states decreasing rates are those who provide an option to accept the no-fault settlement or the 'chance to sue through lawsuits.

He introduced an amendment which would have allowed such an option, but it was defeated 53-84.

Rep. Walter Meyer, D-Bellefontaine Neighbors, the yearly sponsor of the bill, said the present court system is clogged with pending accident lawsuits.

No-fault insurance has met with defeat each year in the Senate, last year dying in committee. The measure still must face final adoption in the House before the Senate can begin working on it.

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Rabbitt said he doubts the Another override will occur if the right issue comes along, he added.

"I don't think it will make a difference in more than two seats in the House," he said.

Republican Rep. John Sharp of Kansas City said he feels the override of the nurses act was harmful because the governor was right in his veto but that it also was beneficial because it should increase the communication between the governor and the legislature.

"A lot of legislators felt that there were some technical defects in the bill and that the governor should have communicated these defects before it was passed," he said.

"Some of the representatives would have resisted the override vote if there had been some communication from the governor," he added.

Sharp blamed part of the lack of communication on party division between the legislature and the governor.

But Sharp said the bill was passed with the "defects" primarily because the legislature is not adequately staffed.

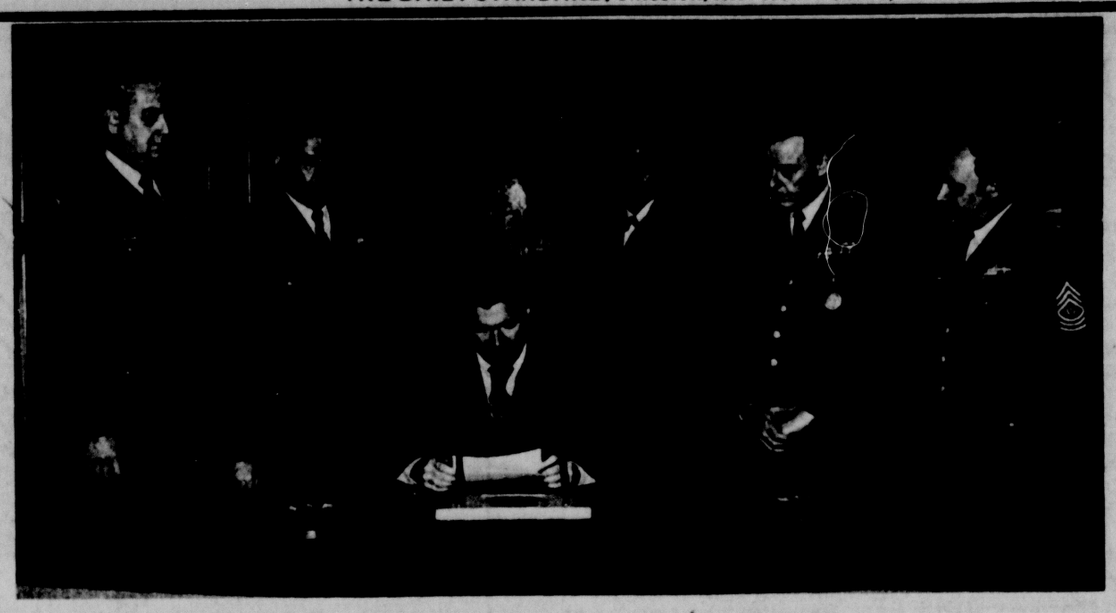
"I'm a full-time legislator and I cannot keep up with every detail on every bill," he said. Gov. Bond should support an adequate staff for the legislature or instruct his staff to look at bills coming up for perfection to watch for these types of defects, he added.

override will be a campaign issue. "The issue is going to be that those who voted to sustain the veto will have to explain their reasons to the nurses in their districts," he said.

House Majority Floor Leader Kenneth Rothman, D-Clayton, said the override was a case of the legislature exercising its rights in the checks and balances of the Constitution.

"Two-thirds of the legislature felt that the Nursing Practices Act should be a law because the good of the bill far outweighed the minor objections of the governor," Rothman said.

Rothman said he feels legislative overrides are a trend in U. S. politics because legislatures are exerting their independence.



Governor proclaims Guard Month

Gov. Christopher S. Bond signs an official proclamation pointing out that since the nation is preparing to celebrate its 200th birthday and the National Guard has played an important and vital role in making this celebration possible, February is proclaimed National Guard Month to honor all members of the Missouri National Guard. Witnessing the signing, from left, are Col. Jess Henson, recruiting and retention officer; Col. Frank Crooks, assistant adjutant general, Air National Guard; officer candidate Betty Loggins, the first female Missouri National Guard officer candidate; Maj. Gen. Charles M. Kiefner, adjutant general of Missouri; and Command Sgt. Maj. Daniel D. Parks, recruitng and retention specialist.

Modernization faces difficult journey

JEFFERSON CITY — Legislative modernization in the General Assembly this year faces a rocky path, as the annual logjam of bills at the end of the session and opposition of House members to a reduction in their number could eliminate key elements in reform.

The House modernization committee has rejected an amendment to a modernization resolution that would reduce the House membership to 125 from 163 representatives.

In the Senate, the Constitutional Amendments Committee has rejected a resolution that would have provided for continuous annual legislative sessions.

House membership reduction and "open-ended," or continuous sessions, are two recommendations of a blue ribbon citizens committee that studied the question of legislative reform two years ago.

Even if legislative modernization passes the General Assembly in some form, it still must be approved by the voters on a statewide ballot in November.

These two key recommendations still could be approved by the General Assembly, however, because the House modernization proposal is out of committee and will be considered by the full House.

The House resolution, sponsored by Rep. Joe Holt, D-Fulton, provides for continuous annual legislative sessions, a concept killed by the Senate committee's rejection of a measure sponsored by President Pro Tem William Cason, D-Clinton.

Holt's resolution would allow the legislature to convene for 100 "legislative" days, which are days when the General Assembly meets in session. Periods set aside for leadership conferences and committee work would not be counted as legislative days.

Under his resolution the legislature itself would also be empowered to call additional sessions during the reminder of the calendar year.

House leaders believe this "open ended session" will be approved by the membership, but that it may face more difficulty in the Senate.

House Speaker Richard Rabbitt, D-St. Louis, says the revision would make sessions more flexible and would help eliminate the logjam of bills and resolutions at the end of each session. The length of each session is now determined strictly by the calendar.

"Bills should be passed or defeated on their merits," the House Speaker said. "As it is right now, many of the bills in committee have a poor chance because they may never get to the floor."

Even if Holt's House resolution passes, it might become a victim of the logjam in the Senate.

House Minority Leader Robert Synder, R-Kirkwood, believes that any bill still in its original committee "is for all intents and purposes dead."

But the procedural snags are not the only threat to modernization this year. A reduction in the size of House membership faces opposition on the floor, Synder said, because many members are afraid of losing their seats in a redistricting that would follow reduction.

"They aren't thinking in the abstract," he said. "They are thinking 'my district' and 'my election.'"

When Holt's resolution is debated on the floor later this month, Snyder said he will ensure that a reduction amendment is offered similar to that rejected in committee.

The proposed reduction in House membership has support in the Senate. A resolution to reduce House membership to 136, sponsored by Sen. John Schneider, D-St. Louis, is pending before the amendments committee.

Schneider, a former representative, says the House is "just too expensive and unwieldy." He also has introduced a "partner resolution" that would increase the annual salary of the senators and representatives to $15,400 from the $8,400 presently paid.

Schneider thinks legislators deserve the pay raise, but cautioned that Gov. Christopher S. Bond will veto any increase in salaries unless a House reduction measure also is passed by the General Assembly.

While there is some support for House reduction in the Senate, a number of senators oppose the change, including Sen. Ike Skelton, D-Lexington.

"Reducing the number in the House would make it even more difficult for the rural legislator to stay in touch with his people," Skelton said. "It would take representation away from rural Missouri."

Other legislators oppose any pay raise, perhaps motivated by the coming elections. During committee hearings, Sen. A. Clifford Jones, R-Brentwood, asked a witness to "show me what we've done to deserve a pay raise."

The witness, Doris Sawyer of Independence, said she would be happy to send the senator a list of accomplishments, but she was unable to name any at that time.

There are several other modernization measures pending before the House and Senate. Holt's House resolution would lower the minimum age of a legislator to 21. The constitution requires a senator to be at least 30, and a representative at least 24 years old.

Holt's resolution also would ban the appearance of any legislator-lawyer before a state agency, and would require the assignment of bills to committee within specified periods of time.

Schneider is sponsoring a third Senate measure that would remove the lieutenant governor from his seat as presiding officer of the Senate.

Dr. Mary At 83 Still Practicing

By BRENDAN RILEY
Associated Press Writer

SMITH, Nev. (AP) — When Dr. Mary Fulstone began making house calls in a rattling pickup truck 55 years ago, the thorny issues physicians now face were nonexistent, but the new hassles aren't slowing her down.

"I suppose I'll practice until I die," said the 83-year-old woman, who has practiced medicine longer than any other Nevada doctor — from the kitchen of her rambling ranch house in rural Smith Valley.

"Doctor Mary" is bothered by spiraling malpractice insurance rates, the ways government-funded health programs operate, the debate over a patient's right to die, and the new doctor's tendency to specialize instead of going into general practice.

But the hassles are overshadowed by the rewards of being a country doctor.

"I've been in on everything in these peoples' lives — the good things and the bad too. It's like being part of each family.

"I guess I should retire sometime, but I don't know when," she said in an interview at her home-office. "We could use another doctor out here, and maybe when that happens, I'll start to edge myself out."

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Rabbitt said he doubts the override will be a campaign issue. "The issue is going to be that those who voted to sustain the veto will have to explain their reasons to the nurses in their districts," he said.

Another override will occur if the right issue comes along, he added.

"I don't think it will make a difference in more than two seats in the House," he said.

Republican Rep. John Sharp of Kansas City said he feels the override of the nurses act was harmful because the governor was right in his veto but that it also was beneficial because it should increase the communication between the governor and the legislature.

"A lot of legislators felt that there were some technical defects in the bill and that the governor should have communicated these defects before it was passed," he said.

"Some of the representatives would have resisted the override vote if there had been some communication from the governor," he added.

Sharp blamed part of the lack of communication on party division between the legislature and the governor.

But Sharp said the bill was passed with the "defects" primarily because the legislature is not adequately staffed.

"I'm a full-time legislator and I cannot keep up with every detail on every bill," he said. Gov. Bond should support an adequate staff for the legislature or instruct his staff to look at bills coming up for perfection to watch for these types of defects, he added.

House Majority Floor Leader Kenneth Rothman, D-Clayton, said the override was a case of the legislature exercising its rights in the checks and balances of the Constitution.

"Two-thirds of the legislature felt that the Nursing Practices Act should be a law because the good of the bill far outweighed the minor objections of the governor," Rothman said.

Rothman said he feels legislative overrides are a trend in U. S. politics because legislatures are exerting their independence.

Governor proclaims Guard Month

Gov. Christopher S. Bond signs an official proclamation pointing out that since the nation is preparing to celebrate its 200th birthday and the National Guard has played an important and vital role in making this celebration possible, February is proclaimed National Guard Month to honor all members of the Missouri National Guard. Witnessing the signing, from left, are Col. Jess Henson, recruiting and retention officer; Col. Frank Crooks, assistant adjutant general, Air National Guard; officer candidate Betty Loggins, the first female Missouri National Guard officer candidate; Maj. Gen. Charles M. Kiefner, adjutant general of Missouri; and Command Sgt. Maj. Daniel D. Parks, recruitng and retention specialist.

Modernization faces difficult journey

JEFFERSON CITY — Legislative modernization in the General Assembly this year faces a rocky path, as the annual logjam of bills at the end of the session and opposition of House members to a reduction in their number could eliminate key elements in reform.

The House modernization committee has rejected an amendment to a modernization resolution that would reduce the House membership to 125 from 163 representatives.

In the Senate, the Constitutional Amendments Committee has rejected a resolution that would have provided for continuous annual legislative sessions.

House membership reduction and "open-ended," or continuous sessions, are two recommendations of a blue ribbon citizens committee that studied the question of legislative reform two years ago.

Even if legislative modernization passes the General Assembly in some form, it still must be approved by the voters on a statewide ballot in November.

These two key recommendations still could be approved by the General Assembly, however, because the House modernization proposal is out of committee and will be considered by the full House.

The House resolution, sponsored by Rep. Joe Holt, D-Fulton, provides for continuous annual legislative sessions, a concept killed by the Senate committee's rejection of a measure sponsored by President Pro Tem William Cason, D-Clinton.

Holt's resolution would allow the legislature to convene for 100 "legislative" days, which are days when the General Assembly meets in session. Periods set aside for leadership conferences and committee work would not be counted as legislative days.

Under his resolution the legislature itself would also be empowered to call additional sessions during the reminder of the calendar year.

House leaders believe this "open ended session" will be approved by the membership, but that it may face more difficulty in the Senate.

House Speaker Richard Rabbitt, D-St. Louis, says the revision would make sessions more flexible and would help eliminate the logjam of bills and resolutions at the end of each session. The length of each session is now determined strictly by the calendar.

"Bills should be passed or defeated on their merits," the House Speaker said. "As it is right now, many of the bills in committee have a poor chance because they may never get to the floor."

Even if Holt's House resolution passes, it might become a victim of the logjam in the Senate.

House Minority Leader Robert Synder, R-Kirkwood, believes that any bill still in its original committee "is for all intents and purposes dead."

But the procedural snags are not the only threat to modernization this year. A reduction in the size of House membership faces opposition on the floor, Synder said, because many members are afraid of losing their seats in a redistricting that would follow reduction.

"They aren't thinking in the abstract," he said. "They are thinking 'my district' and 'my election.'"

When Holt's resolution is debated on the floor later this month, Snyder said he will ensure that a reduction amendment is offered similar to that rejected in committee.

The proposed reduction in House membership has support in the Senate. A resolution to reduce House membership to 136, sponsored by Sen. John Schneider, D-St. Louis, is pending before the amendments committee.

Schneider, a former representative, says the House is "just too expensive and unwieldy." He also has introduced a "partner resolution" that would increase the annual salary of the senators and representatives to $15,400 from the $8,400 presently paid.

Schneider thinks legislators deserve the pay raise, but cautioned that Gov. Christopher S. Bond will veto any increase in salaries unless a House reduction measure also is passed by the General Assembly.

While there is some support for House reduction in the Senate, a number of senators oppose the change, including Sen. Ike Skelton, D-Lexington.

"Reducing the number in the House would make it even more difficult for the rural legislator to stay in touch with his people," Skelton said. "It would take representation away from rural Missouri."

Other legislators oppose any pay raise, perhaps motivated by the coming elections. During committee hearings, Sen. A. Clifford Jones, R-Brentwood, asked a witness to "show me what we've done to deserve a pay raise."

The witness, Doris Sawyer of Independence, said she would be happy to send the senator a list of accomplishments, but she was unable to name any at that time.

There are several other modernization measures pending before the House and Senate. Holt's House resolution would lower the minimum age of a legislator to 21. The constitution requires a senator to be at least 30, and a representative at least 24 years old.

Holt's resolution also would ban the appearance of any legislator-lawyer before a state agency, and would require the assignment of bills to committee within specified periods of time.

Schneider is sponsoring a third Senate measure that would remove the lieutenant governor from his seat as presiding officer of the Senate.

Dr. Mary At 83 Still Practicing

By BRENDAN RILEY
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SMITH, Nev. (AP) — When Dr. Mary Fulstone began making house calls in a rattling pickup truck 55 years ago, the thorny issues physicians now face were nonexistent, but the new hassles aren't slowing her down.

"I suppose I'll practice until I die," said the 83-year-old woman, who has practiced medicine longer than any other Nevada doctor — from the kitchen of her rambling ranch house in rural Smith Valley.

"Doctor Mary" is bothered by spiraling malpractice insurance rates, the ways government-funded health programs operate, the debate over a patient's right to die, and the new doctor's tendency to specialize instead of going into general practice.

But the hassles are overshadowed by the rewards of being a country doctor.

"I've been in on everything in these peoples' lives — the good things and the bad too. It's like being part of each family.

"I guess I should retire sometime, but I don't know when," she said in an interview at her home-office. "We could use another doctor out here, and maybe when that happens, I'll start to edge myself out."

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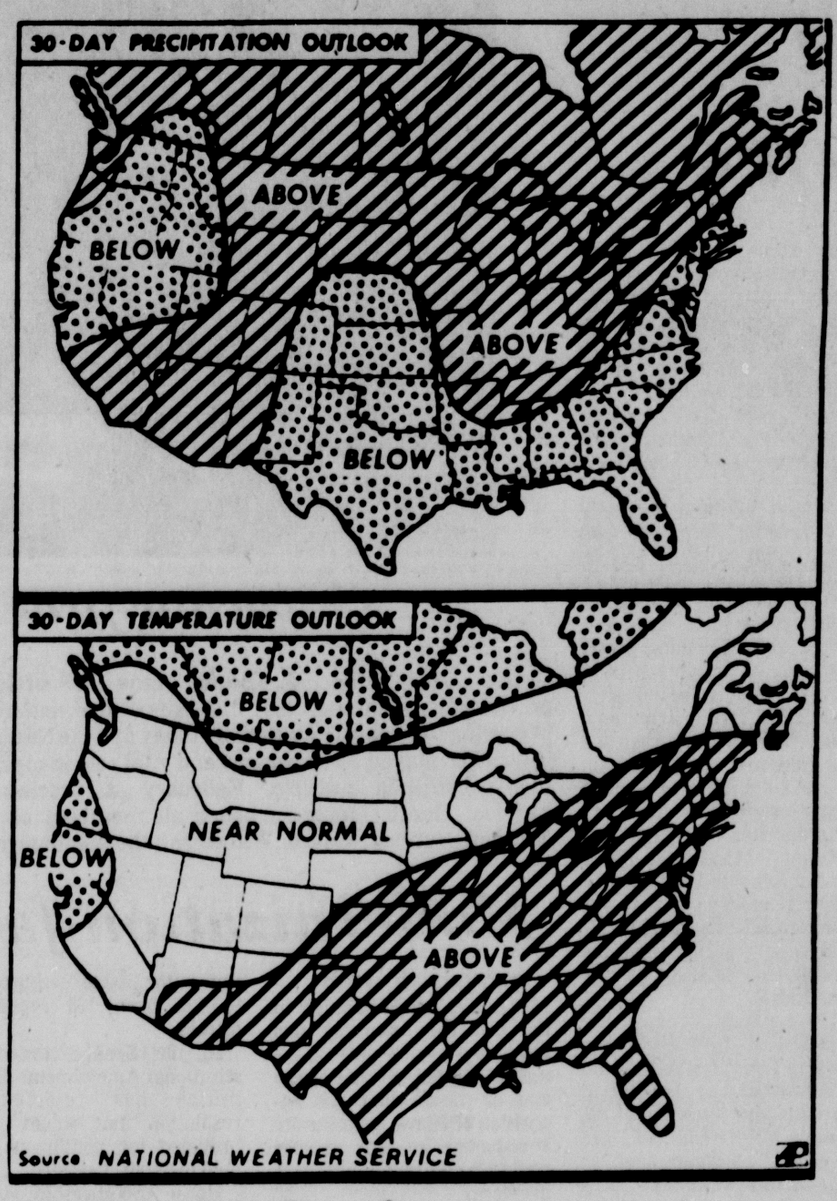

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"We're in the middle of a statewide donation campaign to raise $40,000 from members," says Peter Schauer, general manager of OATS. "We've asked the county committees in each of the 87 counties served by OATS to raise $5,000."

Schaure says memberships provided $90,000 of the program's revenue in 1975.

Sparrel Davis, chairman of OATS' "sister program," Southeast Missouri Transportation Service, says SMTS also is involved in a donation campaign to raise $50,000. However, even with the $50,000 and revenue from memberships, SMTS can operate another six or seven months without help from the General Assembly, Davis says.

Pigtail pedaler winner at 7

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla. (AP) — It's pedal power instead of horsepower on a south Florida racing circuit.

Michelle Bishop, 7, who rides in bicycle motocross races in the Fort Lauderdale area, was a winner in her 5-to 7 year-old age group this summer.

A third grader at Fort Lauderdale's Stirling Elementary school, Michelle practices on the moto tracks, taking the turns through the water hazards, bearing down on the straightaways.

Diane Bishop, Michelle's mother, is the cheering section. Michelle's grandparents, Raymond and Gertrude Lagace of Fort Lauderdale attend the bicycle motos. And grandad is Michelle's chief mechanic.

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SOCIAL SECURITY COSTS

The cost of social security is going up again. On January 1, the amount of wages subject to the social security tax went up from $14,100 to $15,300.

This means that the maximum social security tax a wage earner will pay this year is $895.05, an increase of up to $70.20 for those who earn more than $14,100. For those who earn less, there will be no increase in taxes.

This action will bring about $2.1 billion more into the social security trust fund. Each year, social security benefits to the retired and disabled are raised to keep pace with inflation, so a similar adjustment is necessary for the tax side of the program.

Still Not Enough

Yet even with this latest increase in taxes, benefit checks will still exceed the amount of money coming in by a small amount. Left unchecked, the trust fund would be slowly drained over a period of years. Therefore, some changes are necessary to insure that our elderly receive adequate benefits.

President Ford's answer to this problem is an increase of the tax rate, now 5.85 per cent for employer and employee. Under the President's plan, this rate would go up to 6.15 per cent next January. At the same time, the maximum wages subject to tax would be automatically boosted to $16,500.

Unfortunately, this plan would hit the lower income groups the hardest, and middle income taxpayers would also be affected. The social security tax is already regressive, and we must be careful not to make it more so.

Alternatives

Several members of Congress have offered alternatives to the President's plan: raising the level of taxable wages to $25,000 and lowering the tax rate for everyone; using general revenue funds (from the Treasury) to finance the program; or raising the age level at which a person can draw retirement benefits.

I believe an acceptable middle ground can be found to provide an appropriate level of retirement benefits to those who have contributed to social security throughout their working lives, while still keeping the level of contributions low enough so as not to increase an already staggering tax burden. I intend to work with members of the Senate Finance Committee to find that solution.

Nuclear accidents subject of study

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The federal government is funding research into a little-known theory about how an accident at a nuclear power plant might trigger a dangerous steam explosion.

Officials of the federal Nuclear Regulatory Commission said that the $100,000 project at Sandia Laboratories at Albuquerque, N.M., is only one of many studies probing possible safety hazards. They say there is no evidence at this point to indicate the theory is valid as applied to nuclear power plants.

But critics of nuclear safety say the hypothesis raises the spectre of nonnuclear explosions that could rend the walls of any of the 58 currently licensed reactors and allow deadly radioactive materials to spread into the atmosphere.

"The kind of explosion we're talking about is not very big, just equivalent to a few tons of TNT," said Prof. Henry Kendall, a nuclear high-energy physicist at Massachussetts Institute of Technology and a founding member of the Union of Concerned Scientists.

"The hazard is that it could rupture all containment structures in the building and let radioactive material seep out into the wind," he said in a telephone interview. "If the theory is true, you could have a seemingly innocuous accident aggravated to the point of a major public catastrophe."

The theory, first proposed by astrophysicist Stirling Colgate in a study of volcanoes, tries to explain why surprisingly large explosions sometimes occur when molten materials come into contact with water. The U.S. Atomic Energy Commission's 1974 Reactor Safety Study cites four such explosions in small nuclear reactors and also a series of fatal blasts in industrial foundries.

In a paper in the August 1973 issue of Nature Magazine, Colgate hypothesized what he called a "dynamic self-mixing effect," in which an initial mixing of molten materials and water produces a high-pressure steam that in turn causes more mixing in a kind of chain reaction.

Colgate further speculated in an unpublished paper how such an explosion might occur at a light water reactor plant in the unlikely event all cooling systems failed and the uranium oxide fuel was reduced to a molten mass, an accident called a core meltdown.

The nuclear application of Colgate's theory is developed in an article in the February 1976 issue of Environment Magazine, published by a New York-based watchdog group called Scientists' Institute for Public Information.

Author Kevin Shea, a biologist and the magazine's editor, says Colgate speculated that following a meltdown, the molten fuel would come into contact with water and might produce a large-scale steam explosion sufficient to tear apart the steel and concrete walls of a power plant.

The Reactor Safety Study estimates the frequency of core meltdowns at 1 in 20,000 per year for each operating plant — so that with 200 plants in operation, such an accident could be expected every 100 years.

The study further calculates that only one in 100 meltdowns would lead to a steam explosion severe enough to release radioactivity into the environment.

Shea says that Colgate's theory challenges this last figure, by "postulating that in every case (of core meltdown) there is a potential for explosion by the dynamic self-mixing process."

Colgate, adjunct professor at New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology in Roswell and unofficial consultant to the NRC at Sandia, said he was pleased that research was under way on his theory. But he said he feared Shea's article — which he had not seen — might exaggerate the danger.

"I do not like to be an alarmist, because I feel there has been a significant response to my concern at the national laboratories," Colgate said in a telephone interview from his home in Ward, Colo. "Our knowledge of this dynamic self-mixing is not at the level yet to affect arguments pro or con nuclear power plants, because the probability of it occurring is so remote."

"These kinds of experiments are conducted — no matter how far out the accident could be — to give us an indication of what could go on," said Gary Bennett, technical assistant to the NRC's assistant director for water ractor safety research in Germantown, Md. "Usually nature's been kinder to us than we are in our own minds."

Ian B. Wall, chief of the NRC's Probabilistics Analysis Branch, said data from small-scale explosions indicated molten fuel and water probably "would not interact in an explosive way." But, he said, experiments up to now have not been able to rule out this possibility at a power plant, "because of unknowns associated with a potentially large-scale event."

Bennett said the project at Sandia on "steam explosion phenomena" was budgeted at $100,000 for fiscal 1975-76 and probably would yield no definitive results until later in the year.

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N.Y. (AP) — The Philadelphia Orchestra's three-week residency at the Saratoga Performing Arts Center drew almost 2,000 more persons than its four-week stay in 1974. The attendance figure is due, in part, to the student matinee conducted by Victor Borge which drew 11,318, the largest number for any orchestra concert at the center.

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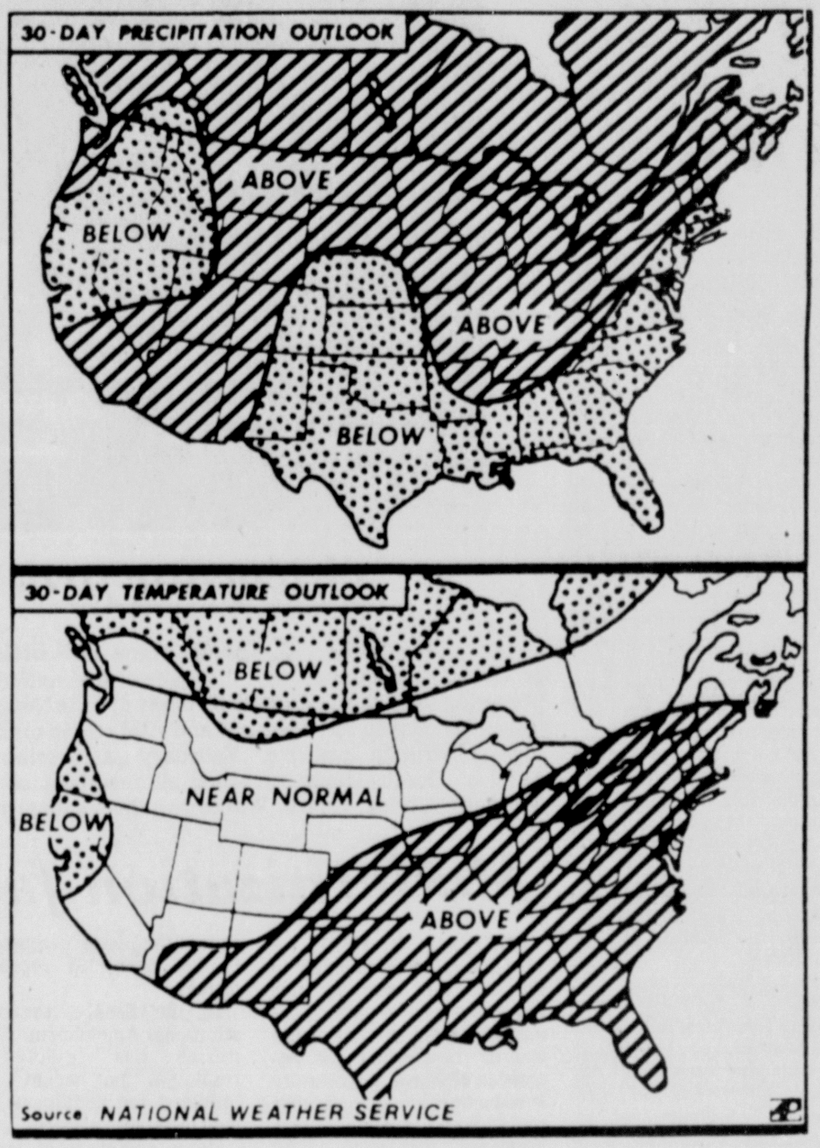

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"We're in the middle of a statewide donation campaign to raise $40,000 from members," says Peter Schauer, general manager of OATS. "We've asked the county committees in each of the 87 counties served by OATS to raise $5,000."

Schaure says memberships provided $90,000 of the program's revenue in 1975.

Sparrel Davis, chairman of OATS' "sister program," Southeast Missouri Transportation Service, says SMTS also is involved in a donation campaign to raise $50,000. However, even with the $50,000 and revenue from memberships, SMTS can operate another six or seven months without help from the General Assembly, Davis says.

Pigtail pedaler winner at 7

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla. (AP) — It's pedal power instead of horsepower on a south Florida racing circuit.

Michelle Bishop, 7, who rides in bicycle motocross races in the Fort Lauderdale area, was a winner in her 5-to 7 year-old age group this summer.

A third grader at Fort Lauderdale's Stirling Elementary school, Michelle practices on the moto tracks, taking the turns through the water hazards, bearing down on the straightaways.

Diane Bishop, Michelle's mother, is the cheering section. Michelle's grandparents, Raymond and Gertrude Lagace of Fort Lauderdale attend the bicycle motos. And grandad is Michelle's chief mechanic.

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SOCIAL SECURITY COSTS

The cost of social security is going up again. On January 1, the amount of wages subject to the social security tax went up from $14,100 to $15,300.

This means that the maximum social security tax a wage earner will pay this year is $895.05, an increase of up to $70.20 for those who earn more than $14,100. For those who earn less, there will be no increase in taxes.

This action will bring about $2.1 billion more into the social security trust fund. Each year, social security benefits to the retired and disabled are raised to keep pace with inflation, so a similar adjustment is necessary for the tax side of the program.

Still Not Enough

Yet even with this latest increase in taxes, benefit checks will still exceed the amount of money coming in by a small amount. Left unchecked, the trust fund would be slowly drained over a period of years. Therefore, some changes are necessary to insure that our elderly receive adequate benefits.

President Ford's answer to this problem is an increase of the tax rate, now 5.85 per cent for employer and employee. Under the President's plan, this rate would go up to 6.15 per cent next January. At the same time, the maximum wages subject to tax would be automatically boosted to $16,500.

Unfortunately, this plan would hit the lower income groups the hardest, and middle income taxpayers would also be affected. The social security tax is already regressive, and we must be careful not to make it more so.

Alternatives

Several members of Congress have offered alternatives to the President's plan: raising the level of taxable wages to $25,000 and lowering the tax rate for everyone; using general revenue funds (from the Treasury) to finance the program; or raising the age level at which a person can draw retirement benefits.

I believe an acceptable middle ground can be found to provide an appropriate level of retirement benefits to those who have contributed to social security throughout their working lives, while still keeping the level of contributions low enough so as not to increase an already staggering tax burden. I intend to work with members of the Senate Finance Committee to find that solution.

Nuclear accidents subject of study

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The federal government is funding research into a little-known theory about how an accident at a nuclear power plant might trigger a dangerous steam explosion.

Officials of the federal Nuclear Regulatory Commission said that the $100,000 project at Sandia Laboratories at Albuquerque, N.M., is only one of many studies probing possible safety hazards. They say there is no evidence at this point to indicate the theory is valid as applied to nuclear power plants.

But critics of nuclear safety say the hypothesis raises the spectre of nonnuclear explosions that could rend the walls of any of the 58 currently licensed reactors and allow deadly radioactive materials to spread into the atmosphere.

"The kind of explosion we're talking about is not very big, just equivalent to a few tons of TNT," said Prof. Henry Kendall, a nuclear high-energy physicist at Massachussetts Institute of Technology and a founding member of the Union of Concerned Scientists.

"The hazard is that it could rupture all containment structures in the building and let radioactive material seep out into the wind," he said in a telephone interview. "If the theory is true, you could have a seemingly innocuous accident aggravated to the point of a major public catastrophe."

The theory, first proposed by astrophysicist Stirling Colgate in a study of volcanoes, tries to explain why surprisingly large explosions sometimes occur when molten materials come into contact with water. The U.S. Atomic Energy Commission's 1974 Reactor Safety Study cites four such explosions in small nuclear reactors and also a series of fatal blasts in industrial foundries.

In a paper in the August 1973 issue of Nature Magazine, Colgate hypothesized what he called a "dynamic self-mixing effect," in which an initial mixing of molten materials and water produces a high-pressure steam that in turn causes more mixing in a kind of chain reaction.

Colgate further speculated in an unpublished paper how such an explosion might occur at a light water reactor plant in the unlikely event all cooling systems failed and the uranium oxide fuel was reduced to a molten mass, an accident called a core meltdown.

The nuclear application of Colgate's theory is developed in an article in the February 1976 issue of Environment Magazine, published by a New York-based watchdog group called Scientists' Institute for Public Information.

Author Kevin Shea, a biologist and the magazine's editor, says Colgate speculated that following a meltdown, the molten fuel would come into contact with water and might produce a large-scale steam explosion sufficient to tear apart the steel and concrete walls of a power plant.

The Reactor Safety Study estimates the frequency of core meltdowns at 1 in 20,000 per year for each operating plant — so that with 200 plants in operation, such an accident could be expected every 100 years.

The study further calculates that only one in 100 meltdowns would lead to a steam explosion severe enough to release radioactivity into the environment.

Shea says that Colgate's theory challenges this last figure, by "postulating that in every case (of core meltdown) there is a potential for explosion by the dynamic self-mixing process."

Colgate, adjunct professor at New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology in Roswell and unofficial consultant to the NRC at Sandia, said he was pleased that research was under way on his theory. But he said he feared Shea's article — which he had not seen — might exaggerate the danger.

"I do not like to be an alarmist, because I feel there has been a significant response to my concern at the national laboratories," Colgate said in a telephone interview from his home in Ward, Colo. "Our knowledge of this dynamic self-mixing is not at the level yet to affect arguments pro or con nuclear power plants, because the probability of it occurring is so remote."

"These kinds of experiments are conducted — no matter how far out the accident could be — to give us an indication of what could go on," said Gary Bennett, technical assistant to the NRC's assistant director for water ractor safety research in Germantown, Md. "Usually nature's been kinder to us than we are in our own minds."

Ian B. Wall, chief of the NRC's Probabilistics Analysis Branch, said data from small-scale explosions indicated molten fuel and water probably "would not interact in an explosive way." But, he said, experiments up to now have not been able to rule out this possibility at a power plant, "because of unknowns associated with a potentially large-scale event."

Bennett said the project at Sandia on "steam explosion phenomena" was budgeted at $100,000 for fiscal 1975-76 and probably would yield no definitive results until later in the year.

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N.Y. (AP) — The Philadelphia Orchestra's three-week residency at the Saratoga Performing Arts Center drew almost 2,000 more persons than its four-week stay in 1974. The attendance figure is due, in part, to the student matinee conducted by Victor Borge which drew 11,318, the largest number for any orchestra concert at the center.

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QUALITY STAMP COMPANY, INC. STAMPS

MAXWELL HOUSE
COFFEE
2 LB CAN OR 10 OZ JAR YOUR CHOICE
$1.99
WITH COUPON BELOW AND $10.00 OR MORE PURCHASE EXCLUDING FRESH MILK OR TOBACCO PRODUCTS

$20.00 PURCHASE REQUIRED TO GET COFFEE AND WHITE CLOUD AT REDUCED PRICES.

BETTY CROCKER LAYER
CAKE MIXES
2 18 OZ BOXES 99¢

ALAMO DRY
DOG FOOD 20 LB BAG $4.49

2ND BIG WEEK GRAND OPENING

EXTRA SAVINGS WITH QUALITY STAMPS
BRUCES BIG STAR SIKESTON
STORE HOURS OPEN TILL 9:00 PM 7 DAYS A WEEK
AD EXPIRES 2-24-76

EVERFRESH GLAZED
DONUTS
BOX 79¢ WITH COUPON

POTATO CHIPS
CHIPOS 8 OZ PKG 89¢

WHITE CLOUD
BATH TISSUE
4 ROLL PKG 29¢
WITH $10.00 OR MORE PURCHASE EXCLUDING FRESH MILK AND TOBACO PRODUCTS.

GLAD
SANDWICH BAGS 50 BAG PKG 33¢

PRIDE OF ILL CREAM STYLE
CORN
5 303 CANS $1

Family Circle Do-it-Yourself ENCYCLOPEDIA Volume 8 NOW ON SALE $1.49

GOLD MEDAL
FLOUR
5 LB BAG 69¢
WITH COUPON BELOW

Family Circle COOKING Volume 8 NOW ON SALE $1.49

BANQUET FROZEN
POT PIES
4 8 OZ PIES 89¢

CHIFFON
MARGARINE LB PKG 55¢
KRAFT PURE
ORANGE JUICE ½ GAL JUG 89¢
FOREMOST
COTTAGE CHEESE 23 OZ 89¢
GOLDEN RICH
OLEO 3 LB PKGS $1.00
ALLEN'S
TOMATOES 3 303 CANS 89¢
WINSTON ELBOW
MACARONI 5 LB BOX $1.59

TRUCKLOAD SALE
DEL MONTE CANNED FOODS

DEL MONTE CHUNK
TUNA
½ SIZE 49¢

DEL MONTE
CATSUP 3 14 OZ BOTTLES $1.00
DEL MONTE CUT
GREEN BEANS 4 303 CANS $1.00
DEL MONTE
SAUERKRAUT 4 303 CANS $1.00
DEL MONTE
SPINACH 4 303CANS $1.00
DEL MONTE
CORN 3 303 CANS 89¢
DELMONTE
FRUIT COCKTAIL 303 CANS 39¢
DEL MONTE
PEAR HALVES 303 CAN 59¢
DELMONTE
TOMATO SAUCE 5 8 OZ CANS $1.00

JENO FROZEN
PIZZA 13 OZ BOX 79¢
KRAFT
GRAPE JELLY 18 OZ JAR 69¢
PET RITZ
PIE SHELLS 2-9" SHELLS 38¢
MUSSELMAN'S
APPLESAUCE 3 15 OZ JARS $1.00
SAC-O-CORN FROZEN
CORN ON THE COB 8-CORBETTES PKG 79¢
KEEBLER
HONEY GRAHAMS 16 OZ BOX 59¢

ROYAL CROWN
COLA
6-32 OZ BTL CTN. $1.39
PLUS DEPOSIT

JOHNSON & JOHNSON
NEWBORN DIAPERS BOX OF 24's $1.89
JOHNSON & JOHNSON
DAYTIME DIAPERS BOX OF 24's $2.39
JOHNSON & JOHNSON
OVERNIGHT DIAPERS BOX OF 18's $2.49
GERBER
BABY FOOD 7 5 OZ JARS $1.00
ROYAL
GELATIN 5 3 OZ BOXES $1.00

BUTTERNUT
BREAD
16 OZ LOAF 19¢

OLD JUDGE
COFFEE LB CAN $1.49

STEWART'S
GRADE "A" SMALL
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PEANUT BUTTER 18 OZ JAR 99¢

Area's finest selection in fresh fruits and vegetables

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POTATOES 20 LB BAG $1.29

JUICY, TART SUNKIST
LEMONS DOZ 59¢
CRISPY FRESH HEAD
LETTUCE 3/99¢
RED, RIPE, SALAD SIZE
BASKET TOMATOES QT 59¢
SUNKIST SEEDLESS NAVEL
ORANGES 6/69¢
FRESH MIXED
VEGETABLES 12 OZ PKG. 39¢
TASTY HAWAIIAN
PINEAPPLES EA 79¢
SNO-WHITE FINE FOR COOKING
MUSHROOMS 8 OZ PKG 69¢
FRESH GREEN
PARSLEY FREE

HYDE PARK HOT DOG OR HAMBURGER
BUNS
3 PKGS $1

CARDINAL
POTATO CHIPS TWIN PACK 59¢
BUSH'S CUT
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PRIDE OF ILLINOIS WHOLE KERNEL
CORN 3 303 CANS 89¢
CAMPBELL'S
VEGETABLE SOUP 5 10 OZ CANS $1
GRAVY TRAIN
DOG FOOD 25 LB BAG $5.19

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AMERICA'S FAVORITE SANDWICH
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY 10AM TO 7PM

HAMBURGERS
LIMIT 10 PLEASE EACH 15¢

DELICIOUS CHICKEN &
DUMPLINGS QT $1.69
HAM & BEANS WITH CORNBREAD SERVING 69¢
HOME MADE
CHILI WITH CRACKERS BOWL 59¢
FRESH BAKED
SHEET CAKE SERVING 39¢
HOME MADE COBBLERS
CHERRY OR PEACH 8 OZ SERVING 49¢
OLD FASHIONED
FRI & SAT 10-7
ICE CREAM CONES EACH 5¢

PET'S
DAIRY MATE
4 TALL CANS $1
WITH COUPON BELOW

MILLSTADT PURE
BUTTER
4 STICK PKG 99¢

SEALD SWEET ORANGE
JUICE
6-6 OZ CANS $1.29

BALLARD
BISCUITS
6 8 OZ CANS 49¢
WITH COUPON BELOW

ROSEDALE
PEAS 8 OZ CAN 9¢
MIXED VEGETABLES
VEG ALL 4 303 CANS $1.00

KELLYS
CHILI WITH BEANS 3 15 OZ CAN $1
FLAVOR KIST SALTINE
CRACKERS LB BOX 49¢

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DISHWASHING DETERGENT IVORY LIQUID 20¢ OFF LABEL 32 OZ BTL 99¢ — WITH THIS COUPON LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER — R-00 — EXPIRES 2-24-76

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JOHNSON'S BABY SHAMPOO REG PRICE $1.11 OZ BTL $1.59 — WITH THIS COUPON LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER — R30 — EXPIRES 2-24-76

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25TH DISTRICT
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Rt. 2
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4. Notices

Mr. Farmer
Top prices paid for corn and silo.
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Looking for the man who just moved here from Ark. Please Call Service Master Southeast 471-3544.
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WIFE WANTED by 45 yr. old white widower with four children at home Write Box MA100, Care DAILY STANDARD.

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The Kings Business
B. F. and Ruby King
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For complete information.

6. Sleeping Rooms

2 room cottage with kitchenette. Shower. Utilities paid. Buchanan Courts 471-3403.
2-19-76

7. Apartments Furn.

1 bedroom furnished apartment. In New Madrid, 748-5091.

Apartment No pets. Phone 471-2392.

Furnished Apartments, utilities paid. Adults. 471-9942
TF

8. Apartments Unfurn.

2 bedroom unfurnished apartment. 472-0854 471-5470.
TF

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE
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27TH DISTRICT
BILLY JOE THOMPSON
914 Cape Road
Jackson, Mo.

9. House For Rent

2 bedroom unfurnished house. Call 471-1571.
2-20-76

11. Misc. For Rent

Office space for rent
With reception room, and private restroom.
Utilities Furnished with janitorial service.
472-0068

11A. Mobile Homes For Rent

2 trailer spaces for rent with garden. 471-7016 after 5:00 p.m.
2-25-76

Double wide trailer, 2 bedrooms, carpeted. Sikeston, Mo. 471-8861 after 5 p.m.

Mobile home in Sikeston. $175.00 plus deposit. 545-3690.
1-16-76

Mobile Home for rent. Near Sikeston. $175.00 plus deposit. 545-3690.
2-14-76

12A Musical Instru.

PIANOS AND ORGANS Baldwin, and Wurlitizer. Finest quality at reasonable prices and terms. Rental plan available. Keith Collins Piano Company, 98 North Kingshighway Phone 471-4531.
12a-9-14 tf

12. Misc. For Sale

Antique 10 piece dining room set. 667-5369.

3 bike motorcycle trailer. Good condition. Call 471-5167.
2-20-76

Living room, kitchen, and bedroom furniture for sale. In good condition. 471-9735.
2-21-76

Pool Tables
Commercial regulation 1" slate, 1100 lbs. approx. weight. $499.00 Jointed cue with purchase. Brown Billiard Co. Highway 67 West Corning, Ark. 9-5. 501-857-3467. After 5 501-857-6229.
1973 Yahama Endura 360 $475.00
1955 Chevy pickup $275.00 471-0868.
2-19-76

20 ft. Pontoon boat 35 h.p. Evinrude motor and lots of extras Call 471-1262 day 471-3085 night.
TF

Beef for the home freezer. Corn fed. Call 471-3614 after 7 p.m.
2-18-76

Like new Avacado Kenmore upright double oven electric range, with exhaust hood. Phone 683-6905.
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Goodwill is gone, But —
CARL'S DISCOUNT CENTER
is here
at 112 E. Center St.
across street from Telephone Off.
Opening Sat. Feb. 14th 9:00 A.M.

3.50:1 ring and pinion for Ford, Torino, and Mustang 471-6892 after 6:00 p.m. $40.00
3-6-76

Army Surplus Store
835 W. Malone
Revolutionary Bonanza Sale
Now on
Bargains are our Business.

65,000 BTU Warm Morning gas heater, 2 years old. Call 262-3257.

National Whirlpool bath unit. New, never been used. Only $175.00. Phone 471-6725.
1-7-76

1971 Kawasaki MT 1-75. Excellent condition. Call 688-2728.
1-6-76

For Sale: Automatic Whirlpool washer. $75. or trade for good gun. See at 219 Frisco
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New and Used Air Compressors. Halford Radiator Service 471-4014.

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For the strongest, most economical Pole Building, call Sturdi-Built Evenings Phone Ron Woodruff 314-335-5071.

Tell City Furniture- America's finest in early American solid maple. Economy Furniture, 209 W. Commerical Charleston, 683-6733.
683-6733.
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Forklifts for sale or rent. 471-5812, Mike Eakins.

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$350 and up. Accessories included. Free delivery and installation. Corning Pool Table Co. Highway 67 & 62 Corning, Ark. 501-857-3372.
2-18-76

Fireplace wood $18 rank. $25.00 truckload. 471-0623.
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WWII German Stahlhelm

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835 W. MALONE

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SIDEWALK SALE
FRI & SAT
CLOTHING & MISC ITEMS
HERITAGE HOUSE
NUTRITIONAL PROGRAM
306 CRESAP.

Reduce safe & fast with GoBese Tablets & E-Vap "water pills"
Harris Pharmacy, Sikeston; Morehouse, Drug, Morehouse.

REFRIGERATORS
GIBSON (Copper) $150
FRIGIDAIRE (White) $100
INTERNATIONAL (White) $75
HOTPOINT (White) $40
FREEZER
WIZARD (White) $100
DISHWASHER
SEARS PORTABLE $95
DOMESTIC FEFRIGERATION REPAIRS
CARL'S DISCOUNT CENTER
112 E. Center St. Sikeston

Bicentennial
Pennants, Flags, balloons, matches, trailer lighted signs. Electric flashing signs 471-2356 Sikeston, Mo.

13. Real Estate

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For Lease with option to purchase 2 bedroom brick home. Wall to wall carpet, bath ½, fireplace, including all furniture. 471-1930 or 471-4021.

Drive-In Package Liquor and Grocery Store. Located on Highway 84 in Hayti 84 in Hayti, Mo. 359-0900 8:30-10:00
2-15-76

For Sale by Owner. 3 bedroom, ½ basement, central air and heat. 2 car garage. Down town Sikeston, Mo. Phone 545-3867. after 5 p.m.
2-24-76

BUILD YOUR HOME, RAISE CATTLE, ROW CROP AND HUNT on this good 144 acre Hill farm 33 miles from Sikeston, about mile Castor River frontage. 60 Acres Bottom land in permanent pasture and crop land, balance in timer, hasn't been cut for 25 years. New barn, deep well. Only $55,000. Dacus Real Estate, 471-2162 days or 471-9295 Nights.
For Rent: 3 bedroom farm home. Good condition. Semi-retired farm hand preferred. References required. 471-5949 after 5:00 p.m.
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3 bedroom ranch in Sikeston, 335-7201 in Cape See by appointment.
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HOMES FOR SALE
Two 3- bedroom homes with carport, East Prairie area. Priced to sell for cash or on terms. Financing available to eligible families without regard to race, color, creed, age, sex or national origin. Sale price and other information may be obtained by contacting FmHA Office, 106 E. Center St., Sikeston, Mo. Telephone 471-1014.

THIS CHOICEST PRICE IN TOWN
This home is located on the corner of James & Cole St. in Sikeston, Mo. Legally described as Lot 5, Block 3 of Clayton's E. acres. This 3 bedroom Ranch on a nice lot has all the makings to become a beautiful home ... with some pounding and paint. We've got to sell it now!! So the best offer will get it. Materials to finish can be made available. Immediate possession with small down payment and low monthly payments. No closing costs or commissions to pay. See it and then give us your offer. Contact Mr. Reesale at (612) 521-8872.

By Owner Large corner lot, 5 room house, 2 bedroom, large living room, Can be seen at 533 Clayton. $16,900.00.
2-13-76

3 bedroom brick house central heat and air. 3 full baths. Kitchen has new built-ins. Full finished basement. 471-7228, 471-9148.
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3 bedroom brick, Modern kitchen, nice cabinets. Eating area, large living room. Home fully carpeted. Central heat with window air. Large lot. Chain link fence, 12 x 20 foot workshop. Carport with 8x12 ft storage. Patio. Loan can be assumed at 7%
Price $23,500.
Paul Jobe Realtor 471-8175 or 471-2724

14. Situations Wanted

Will stay with elderly people. Call 334-6933.
2-28-76

Will do typing in my home. 333-2662. Caruthersville
2-25-76

15. Wanted To Rent

Pasture for small pony in or around Oran, Call 262-3726.
2-22-76

16. Wanted To Buy

Wanted to buy: 3 or 4 year old tree dog. No Red Bones. Phone 314-683-3071.
2-20-76

A late model air conditioned no till corn planter either 4 row or 6 row on 30" rows. Call 618-687-1645 between 6 and 9 p.m.

Used aquarium 20 gal. or larger. Need pump, filter, light, hood, and stand. 471-1988 or 471-5013.
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18. Help Wanted

Help Wanted: Electronic background helpful or will train. Apply at Lemons Coin Machines Inc. 825 S. Main 471-1168.
2-19-76

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Unspoken, our new nationally advertised fragrance, is making big money for Avon Representatives. Get in on the exciting world of beauty and make excellent earnings on fragrances, makeup, jewelry, gifts, family needs. A few hours a day is all it takes. I'll show you how. Interested? Over 18? Call today: Ann Brown, 472-0492. No obligation.

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SEMO manufacturing plant seeks degree supervisor with 3 to 5 year experience for inventory cost and budget control. Send resume and salary history to Daily Standard, PO Box JP 100 Sikeston, Mo. 63801.

EXPERIENCED
H. and A. Salesman $20,000 per year. Plus First year commissions. Leads furnished. Call 471-9392 after 6 p.m. for appointment.
w-b

Full time employment. Dish man and waitress. Apply in person. 9 a.m. - 11 a.m. or 5:30 p.m. - 9 p.m. Sambo's Restaurant.
2-18-76

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2-18-76

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Now Hiring
The Army Schools branch has opening this month for the following jobs:
Automotive parts specialist
Clerical positions
Cook
Medical specialist
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(Also other positions paying up to $2500 bonus.)
No experience necessary
Will train those who qualify
Age limit 17-34
Must be willing to relocate. Limited openings for non-high school graduates. Now scheduling interviews
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St. Louis, Mo. 63102
Attn. Ernest Tucker

19 — CHILD CARE

Will do babysitting in my home. Weekdays. 471-0584.
2-19-76

Christian lady wanting to daytime babysitting. 471-8692.

20. Lost & Found

LOST
Black and grey Schnauzer puppy. Missing since Sat. 10 weeks old. Reward. Answers to King. Call 471-2999.
2-19-76

LOST
Small white poodle. Lost in vicinity of Kramer Drive. Answers to Renney. Reward. Call 471-0126 after 5 p.m.
2-20-76

LOST
Collie type dog. White chest. White feet. Brown. Answers to Ronnie. Lost in 100 block of West Gladys. Phone 471-2392.

21. Business Opportun.

Distributorships are now available for Shaklee Products. Unbelievable opportunity for men, women, or couples. For interview call 471-2027.
2-25-76

24. Special Services

Plumbing, heating, air conditioning, Installation and repairs. Tri-county Plumbing, Heating and Air conditioning. 316 E. Gladys. 471-4182 471-8895 24 hour service. Managed by M. A. Freeman

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Carpenter work, painting and repair of any kind. Free estimate. Phone 471-8853.
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2-20-76

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Get our low price and the satisfaction of a Sears installation
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WOOD FIBER
VIC McCLUNG HTG & CLG
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Tree trimming, Trash hauled. Leaf raking. Reasonable. 471-0623.

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"Dog Grooming"
Reasonable
471-4630
11-21-75

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TF

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2-15-76

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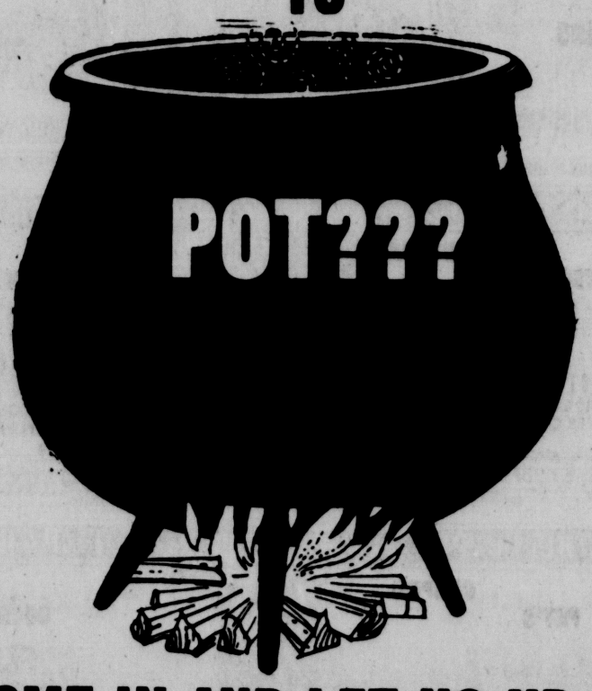

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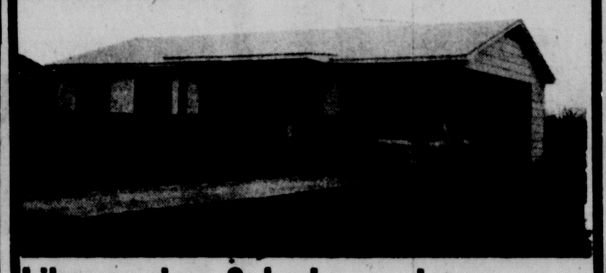

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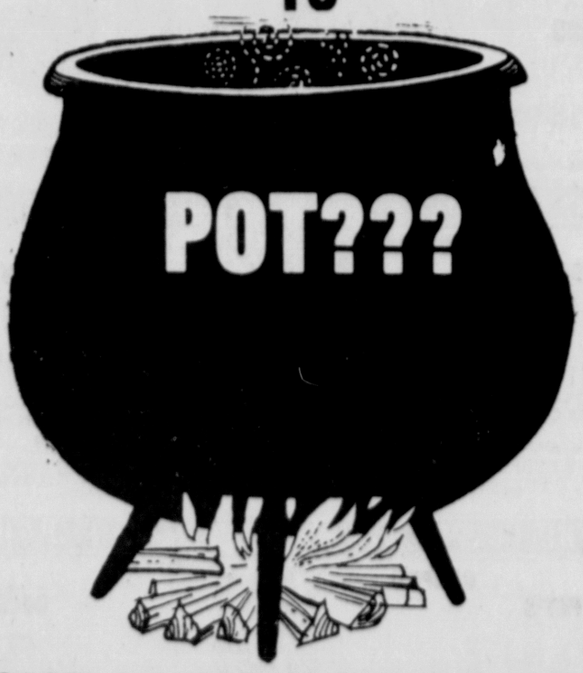
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Allen wrenches
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Saturday, Feb. 21, 1976

Time: 10:00 a.m.

There will be many more items in the sale other than those listed here. This is an "Open Sale".

TRACTORS
1-4 wheel drive tractor 200 hp Cummins diesel, 3 pt. ht., 3 speed hyd
1-Super 90 MF
1-3020 John Deere gas
1-4000 Ford
1-801 Ford, gas
1-801 Ford, propane
1-1965 65 MF, good
2-D-19 AC with wide front end
1-WD 45 A.C. with wide front end
1-560 IHC with wide front end
1-60 John Deere
1-Super C JHC
1-D 6 Caterpillar
1-1972 3010 G Case Diesel 6 with front end loader and trailer bit bed. Excellent shape

COMBINES
1-151 IHC Combine
1-16F1 and 1-22F1 Love bars
1-99 John Deere Cotton Picker, good

TRUCKS
1-Chev. 2-ton with Omaha standard bed
1-1972 Chev. Pickup Half ton
1-1970 Chv. pickup half ton
1-1969 Chev. pickup, half ton
1-1968 Chev. pickup, half ton
1-1957 Ford 2-ton with grain bed and hoist
1-1956 Chev. 2 ton with grain bed and hoist
1-1965 Ford 2 ton 10 wheeler with grain bed and hoist
1-1958 Chev. 1½ ton with grain bed
1-1972 125 Kawasaki motorcycle trail bike

DIESEL TRUCKS
1-1966 GMC 6900 Tandom axle 10 speed Road Ranger
1-1964 Tran Star IHC Twin Screw 10 speed Road Ranger

LAND PLANES AND DITCHERS
2-1040 Eversman ditcher
1-AMCO Ditcher, 3 p.h.
1-V Type Eversman Ditcher
1-Gallon pull type grader with hyd. blade

TRAILERS
10-1973 8 x 24 KBH Cotton Trailers
1-4 wheel cotton trailer
1-24 ft. Cotton Trailer
1-4 bail cotton trailer
1-1972 5 16 Delta goose Neck Cattle Trailer
1-Foldup Camping Trailer
1-16 ft. camping trailer, very good, sleeps 6

TOOLS
1-19 ft. John Deere Foldup Disc
1-480 IHC Disc, 18 ft.
1-21 ft. wide wheel disc
4-IHC wheel Disc
1-13 ft. AW John Deere Wheel Disc
1-16 ft. IHC Vibra Shank
1-AC 10 3 ft. wheel disc
1-14 ft. BW John Deere wheel disc
1-John Deere 8 row cultivator, 1975 model
1-IHC 6 row cultivator
1-AC 4 row cultivator
1-4 row John Deere cultivator
1-4 row Ford planter
1-8 row John Deere planter, bellymount folding
1-6 row AC planter
1-4 row John Deere planter, 3 ph
1-4 row Oliver planter with fert. attachment
1-John Deere 7-16 semi-mount plow
1-4 bt. AC plow, 375 Bt.
3-John Deere 5 bt. plows
5-4 bt. John Deere plows
2-3 bottom IHC plows
2-5 ft. Bush Hogs 3 ph
1-6 ft. Bush hog 3 p/h
2-AC 4-row middle buster
1-Rome 8 row Hipper, folding tool bar and markers
1-John Deere 6 row hipper
2-4 row hipper
1-5 row IHC bedder
2-4 row dual
5-4 row rotary hoe 5 p.h.
1-12 ft. spring tooth harrow 3 p.h.
1-4 row transport harrow
4-4 row mounted spring tooth harrow
3-E-Zee flows
1-6 row Forist City Kipper Hipper
1-4 ton stainless steel fert. spreader
1-12 ft. John Deere spring tooth harrow like new
1-set of saddle pre-emergence tanks
2-100 gal. pre-emerge tanks
1-600 gallon water tank and pump
1-14 ft. Jon Boat
1-4 row hyd. markers
6-John Deere furrow openers
2-John Deere cylinders
3-John Deere comfort covers
1-12 ft. roller
1-lot of metal water tanks
1-water heater
1-Lot of good woven and barbed wire
1-Lot of good cypress gates
1-feed grinder on wheels, good
1-manure spreader
2-cattle head catchers
1-lot of new white oak posts, sharpened
1-Ford scoop
2-new corn and grain sieves for a 95 combine
4-Pearce-Simpson CB radios and 5 mobile antenna
1-welding table
1-lot of tarpaulin
2-air compressors
1-B and D portable grinder
1-½ B and D drill press
1-¾ drill
1-lot of new tools
1-8 ft. chisel plow
1-Ford cycle mower
1-lot of tires and wheels
1-W D AC power unit on wheels

Loading tractor will be on grounds day of sale.

TERMS: Full payment day of sale - cash, cashier and certified checks accepted. Others with proper bank letter, if buyer isn't financially known to us.

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1-Set 18.4x34 duals

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SEED
165 bu. Cutler 71 seed beans

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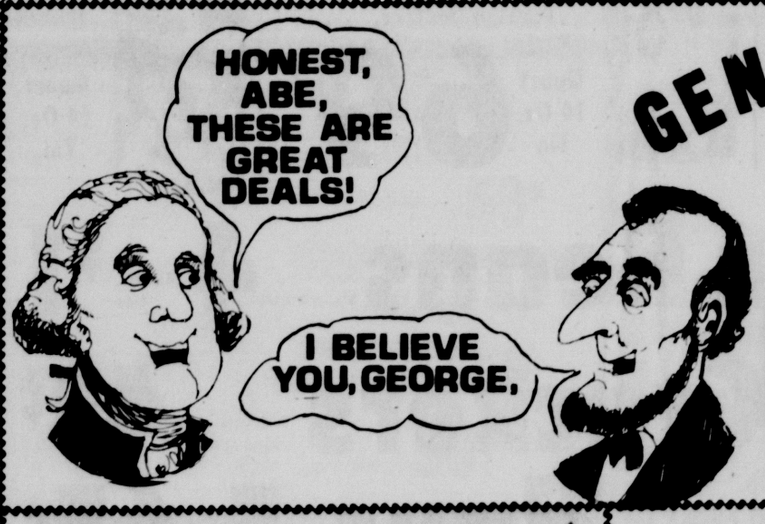

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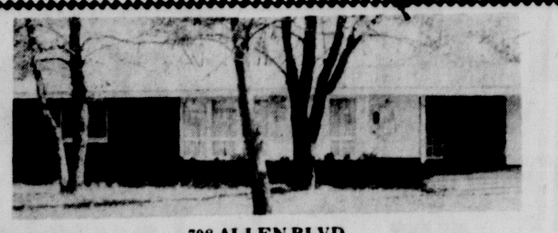

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Building 34x94 office with air, restroom, dock area for loading, 3 large overhead doors.

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EQUIPMENT AUCTION

The Essex-Gray Ridge Lions Club will sell the following items on the gin lot in Hunterville, Mo., 10 miles East of Dexter, or 12 miles West of Sikeston on Hwy. 114.

Saturday, Feb. 21, 1976
Time: 10:00 a.m.

There will be many more items in the sale other than those listed here. This is an "Open Sale".

TRACTORS
1-4 wheel drive tractor 200 hp Cummins diesel, 3 pt ht, 3 speed hyd
1-Super 90 MF
1-3020 John Deere gas
1-4000 Ford
1-801 Ford gas
1-801 Ford propane
1-1965 65 MF good
2-D-19 AC with wide front end
1-WD 45 A C with wide front end
1-560 IHC with wide front end
1-60 John Deere
1-Super C JHC
1-D 6 Caterpillar
1-1972 3011 G Case Diesel 6 with front end loader and trailer tilt bed. Excellent shape

COMBINES
1-151 IHC Combine
1-16F1 and 1-22F1 Lowe bars
1-99 John Deere Cotton Picker, good

TRUCKS
1-Chev. 2 ton with Omaha standard bed
1-1972 Chev. Pickup half ton
1-1970 Chv. pickup half ton
1-1969 Chev. pickup half ton
1-1965 Chev. pickup half ton
1-1957 Ford 2 ton with grain bed and hoist
1-1956 Chev. 2 ton with grain bed and hoist
1-1965 Ford 2 ton 10 wheeler with grain bed and hoist
1-1958 Chev. 1½ ton with grain bed
1-1972 125 Kawasaki motorcycle trail bike

DIESEL TRUCKS
1-1966 GMC 9500 Tandom axle 10 speed Road Ranger
1-1964 Tran Star IHC Twin Screw 10 speed Road Ranger

LAND PLANES AND DITCHERS
2-1040 Eversman ditcher
1-AMCO Ditcher, 3 p.h.
1-V Type Eversman Ditcher
1-Gallon pull type grader with hyd. blade

TRAILERS
10-1973 8 x 24 Kbh Cotton Trailers
1-4 wheel cotton trailer
1-24 ft. Cotton Trailer
1-4 bail cotton trailer
1-1972 5 16 Delta goose Neck Cattle Trailer
1-Fold up Camping Trailer
1-16 ft. camping trailer, very good, sleeps 6

TOOLS
1-19 ft. John Deere Foldup Disc
1-480 IHC Disc, 18 ft.
1-21 ft. wide wheel disc
4-IHC wheel Disc
1-13 ft. KM John Deere Wheel Disc
1-16 ft. IHC Kbhs Shank
1-AC 10 9 ft. wheel disc
1-14 ft. BM John Deere wheel disc
1-John Deere 8 row cultivator, 1975 model
1-IHC 6 row cultivator
1-AC 4 row cultivator
1-4 row John Deere cultivator
1-4 row Ford planter
1-8 row John Deere planter, bellymount folding
1-6 row AC planter
1-4 row John Deere planter 3 ph
1-4 row Oliver planter with fert. attachment
1-John Deere J 16 semi-mount plow
1-4 bt. AC plow, 375 Bt
1-John Deere 5 bt. plows
1-4 bt. John Deere plows
2-3 bottom IHC plows
2-5 ft. Bush hogs 3 ph
1-6 ft. Bush hog 3 p.h.
2-AC 4 row middle buster
1-Rome 8 row hipper, folding tool bar and markers
1-John Deere 6 row hipper
2-4 row hipper
1-5 row IHC bedder
2-4 row dual
1-4 row rotary hoe 3 p.h.
1-12 ft. spring tooth harrow 3 p.h.
1-4 row transport harrow
4-4 row mounted spring tooth harrow
3-6 Zee hows
1-6 row Forest City Kipper Hipper
1-4 ton stainless steel fert. spreader
1-12 ft. John Deere spring tooth harrow like new
1-set of saddle pre-emergence tanks
2-100 gal. pre-emerge tanks
1-600 gallon water tank and pump
1-14 ft. Jon Boat
1-4 row hyd. markers
6-John Deere furrow openers
2-John Deere cylinders
3-John Deere comfort covers
1-12 ft. roller
1-lot of metal water tanks
1-water heater
1-Lot of good woven and barbed wire
1-Lot of good cypress gates
1-feed grinder on wheels, good
1-manure spreader
2-cattle head catchers
1-lot of new white oak posts, sharpened
1-Ford scales
2-new corn and grain sieves for a 95 corn bine
4-Pearce Simpson CB radios and 5 mobile antenna
1-welding table
1-lot of tarpaulin
2-air compressors
1-B and D portable grinder
1-½ B and D drill press
1-¾ drill
1-lot of new tools
1-4 ft. chisel plow
1-Ford cycle mower
3-lot of tires and wheels
1-W D AC power unit on wheels

Loading tractor will be on grounds day of sale.

TERMS: Full payment day of sale - cash, cashier and certified checks accepted. Others with proper bank letter, if buyer isn't financially known to us.

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ACCIDENTS
Lions Club will have plenty of food on the grounds

For information call: 283-5780 283-5652 283-5589

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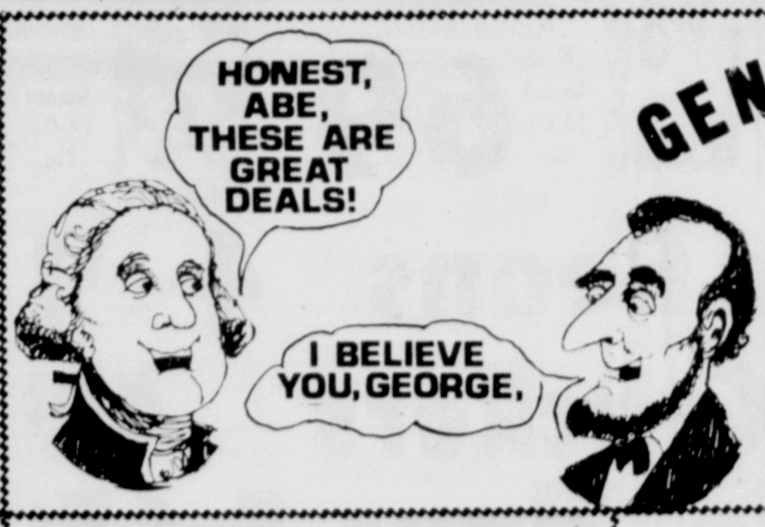

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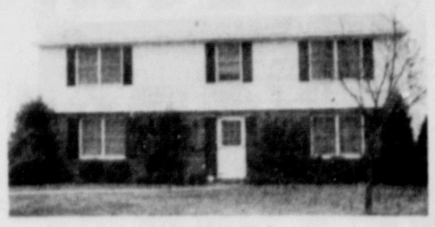
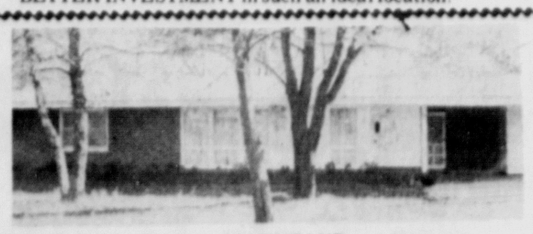
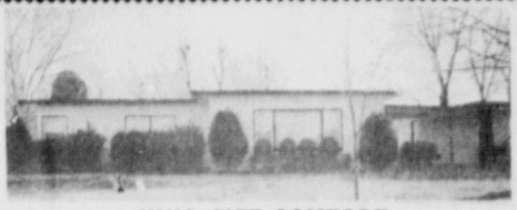
QUALITY DOESN'T COST — IT PAYS —
Just listed this lovely BRICK HOME IN COLLINS NORTH ACRES. This spacemaker offers 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths complete built-in kitchen, formal dining room with sliding glass door leading to patio, large living room, FULL BASEMENT, INCLUDES 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, comfortable paneled recreation room, 2 utility rooms, double carport, outside storage, central heat - air. THIS IS THE ANSWER TO ALL YOUR NEEDS — YOU COULD NEVER MAKE A BETTER INVESTMENT in such an ideal location.



615 CARROLL
WHAT A LOTTA HOUSE! 2- story custom built, 2200 sq. ft. Colonial style, brick front and white frame, large living room, family room and kitchen combination with builtins and eating bar, 1 bedroom full bath, vanity, spacious storage space, upstairs balcony, 3 bedrooms, large full bath. Also has full basement, 2 car carport, central air and heat. In perfect condition inside and out A MUST FOR A GROWING FAMILY.



708 ALLEN BLVD.
A HOME WITH THAT CARED FOR FEELING
Just Listed in ideal neighborhood, good quality of construction, 3 bedroom, brick ranch- style, 1 full bath, large living room- dining room combination, complete kitchen with all built-ins, eating area, utility room equipped with lots of storage, carport plus room for work shop, fenced-in concrete patio, lot 80' x 125' lots of extras, custom made new carpet, wallpaper. Very clean and unusual decorating ideas. DELAY MAY MEAN DISAPPOINTMENT — SO DON'T MISS THIS HARD TO BELIEVE BUY



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WITH A LITTLE TENDER LOVING CARE, THIS SPACIOUS HOME WOULD MAKE ANY FAMILY HAPPY. This 8 room ranch- style stucco can be yours for such a low price. It features 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, combination living room- dining room, large kitchen, all built ins, eating area, utility room, comfortable den with fireplace, partial basement with fireplace, central heat and air, lots of storage, fenced in yard and patio. Owner must sell, a REAL OPPORTUNITY FOR SOMEONE WHO WANTS A REAL BARGAIN. 829 Ruth Street.

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(Have something you want)
Everyonce in a while an extra ordinary property is put on the market. This is such a property. Unique brick, 3 bedroom, 1½ baths graced with bright cheery wallpaper, foyer entrance, large living room, modern equipped kitchen with all built-ins eating bar and dining area, huge recreation room, with sliding glass doors to patio, lots of storage including a 10 x 10 outside utility shed, fully carpeted, drapes, central heat - air, utility room, washer-dryer hookup, well insulated, storm windows, 2- car carport. CALL TODAY, It's a pleasure to own a home that the previous owner took price in - IT'S CLOSE TO EVERYTHING, BUT NOTHING COMES CLOSE TO IT FOR SUCH A LOW PRICE.

214 RUTH
LOCATION PLUS QUALITY
MAKE A TIMELESS INVESTMENT and let us show you how to be snug in this "OLDIE but GOODIE" frame, 2 bedroom, bath, living room, dining room or den, large kitchen, fenced in yard with outside building, newly remodeled, fully carpeted, drapes. DON'T PASS UP THIS GREAT BUY. Good neighborhood, close to everything, "Young or old, you'll love it," $16,900.

3 BEDROOM BRICK. Central heat, large lot, full carpet throughout 1 year old carpet, built in kitchen, garbage disposal. 1 car carport with 8 x 12 storage, chain fenced back yard with 12x20 workshop. Located in Miner $23,500.

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Funk & Wagnalls ENCYCLOPEDIA GOES OFF SALE FEBRUARY 28 Complete Your Set

Quality has *always* been first at Safeway! We spare no effort to bring you the best foods at reasonable prices. Safeway meats are top quality, close-trimmed to remove excess fat and bone to give you more for your money. Sparkling fruits and vegetables offer an abundant selection each time you visit our store. Our perfect-frozen foods, fresh dairy foods, fine canned foods and a host of things are ready to please you in everyway.

White Bread Mrs. Wright's Save Everyday . . . . . 3 1 Lb. 2 Oz. Loaves $1

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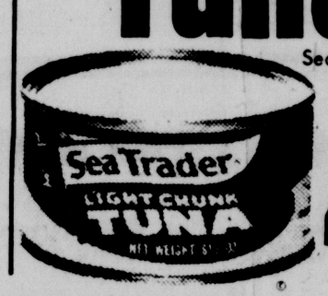

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Welch's Preserves Grape Jelly, Jam or Preserves . . . . . Pint Bottle 73¢

Pancake Mix Aunt Jemima Complete Pancake Mix . . . . . 2 -Lb. Pkg. 78¢

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Kraft Dinners Assorted Macaroni & Cheese Dinners . . . . . 2 7¼ Oz. Pkgs. 53¢

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Peas Green Giant Very Young Sweet Peas. Compare Our Low Price.

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- ★Red or Golden Delicious Apples
- ★Sweet & Juicy Navel Oranges
- ★Fresh Temple Oranges

5 Lbs. $1

Corn Plump Golden Ears. Tender Kernels! 4 Full Ears 59¢

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Grapefruit Check This Value Ruby Red . . . . . 18 -Lb. Bag $1.79

Fancy Bananas Golden Ripe . . . . . Lb. 19¢

Red Potatoes or White Our Low Price . . 20 -Lb. Bag $2.27

Juicy Lemons Tart & Juicy Our Low Price! . . . . . 6 For 49¢

Sweet Potatoes Fancy Kiln Dried . . . . . Lb. 25¢

Crisp Cabbage Firm Heads . . . . . Lb. 17¢

Yellow Onions Our Low Price! . . . . . 5 Lbs. $1

Rutabagas or Turnips Select Your Choice! . . . . . Lb. 19¢

Breakfast Prunes Gardenside Low Priced . . . 2 Lb. Pkg. 99¢

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Flour Gold Medal With Coupon Below (Price without coupon . . . 97¢) 5 -Lb. Bag 49¢

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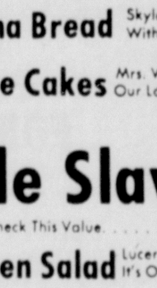

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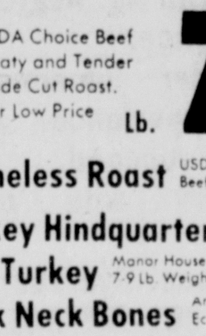

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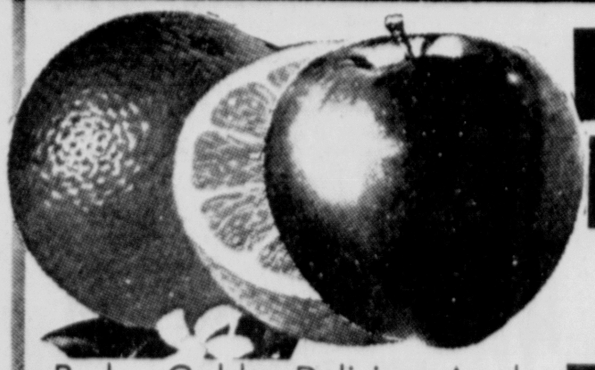

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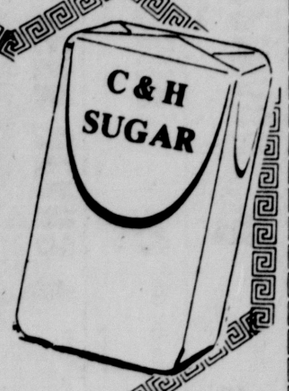

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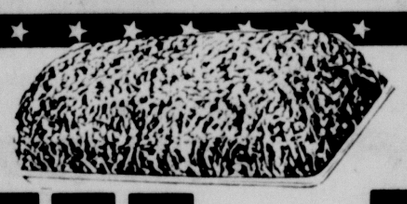

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CHUNK TUNA 6½ OZ CAN **59¢**

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TOWELS 2 SINGLE ROLL FOR **99¢**

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Hepatitis linked to bad icing

NORMAN, Okla. (AP) — One person, who did not even know he was sick, apparently spread a potentially fatal disease to more than 100 local residents. Health officials say there's no way to keep it from happening again — anywhere.

The disease is hepatitis A, formerly called infectious hepatitis, a liver inflamation caused by a virus in the gastrointestinal tract and capable of causing permanent liver damage.

By the time the state health department got into the situation, there were 116 confirmed cases in this city about 25 miles south of Oklahoma City and 19 other possible cases that could not be confirmed.

It was one of the largest outbreaks of the disease in the United States in recent years. The majority of the cases were clustered around schools in the western part of town and most of the victims were between the ages of 10 and 18.

The national Center for Disease Control in Atlanta said the outbreak was the result of contaminated icing on doughnuts. It refused to say where the doughnuts originated, but said the source of the disease was a baker's helper with hepatitis.

Dr. Mark Roberts, state epidemiologist, said hepatitis A is spread through fecal material finding its way somehow into the mouth of a victim.

"Generally, there are two basic types of spread," he said. "One comes when people live in very, very close contact such as a mother and child, a husband and wife or a boyfriend and a girl friend.

"The other comes through food contamination, when a person with the disease handles the food and someone else eats it."

Roberts said the person responsible for spreading the infection in Norman had removed himself before the state health department became involved. He refused to identify the source, but said he would have done so if the threat of continued infection had been present.

"Hepatitis is an ever-present danger throughout the country," Roberts added. "We're all eating out more. We can check restaurants for some communicable diseases or for things such as temperature control, but there is no way to check on hepatitis. You can't legislate against food-borne outbreaks."

He said it is impossible to follow every employe of every restaurant to the toilet to make sure they wash their hands.

"What we have to get across is that a person can help prevent the spread of hepatitis by very close attention to personal hygiene habits.

"In food establishments, everyone has to be very particular in the manner in which they handle the foods, everyplace, from the backyard picnic or church social to the large sit-down banquets."

While stressing that personal hygiene can help prevent future outbreaks, the hepatitis virus "is a very opportunistic bug," said Roberts. "If there is any sort of a foulup in the food handling, it is going to get in there. It's a little scary."

Photographs are allowed in Alabama court

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — A newspaper photographer sat quietly in a courtroom and took pictures of a witness testifying in a robbery trial. It is believed to be the first exercise of a new rule which allows news photographs and radio and television broadcasts while the courts are in session in Alabama.

Roger Wenlowski, a photographer for the Montgomery Advertiser-Journal, took the pictures Tuesday while a 10-year-old deaf mute, Karen Vance, was testifying about a drug-store robbery in Montgomery.

The child, speaking in sign language which was relayed to the court by one of Karen's teachers at a special education school, identified the defendant as the driver of a getaway car.

The presiding judge, Richard F. Emmet, allowed the pictures under a new canon of judicial ethics that went into effect in Alabama Feb. 1. It allows pictures and broadcasts in the courtroom with the consent of the trial judge, defense and prosection attorneys, the defendant and the witness.

The koala eats only eucalyptus leaves, according to International Wildlife magazine. The "teddy bear" selects less than 20 out of the 35 Australian eucalyptus species for its diet.

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RICH'S WHITE BREAD PKG 99¢

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The disease is hepatitis A, formerly called infectious hepatitis, a liver inflamation causec by a virus in the gastrointestinal tract and capable of causing permanent liver damage.

By the time the state health department got into the situation, there were 116 confirmed cases in this city about 25 miles south of Oklahoma City and 15 other possible cases that could not be confirmed.

It was one of the largest outbreaks of the disease in the United States in recent years. The majority of the cases were clustered around schools in the western part of town and most of the victims were between the ages of 10 and 18.

The national Center for Disease Control in Atlanta said the outbreak was the result of contaminated icing on doughnuts. It refused to say where the doughnuts originated, but said the source of the disease was a baker's helper with hepatitis.

Dr. Mark Roberts, state epidemiologist, said hepatitis A is spread through fecal material finding its way somehow into the mouth of a victim.

"Generally, there are two basic types of spread," he said. "One comes when people live in very, very close contact such as a mother and child, a husband and wife or a boyfriend and a girl friend.

"The other comes through food contamination, when a person with the disease handles the food and someone else eats it."

Roberts said the person responsible for spreading the infection in Norman had removed himself before the state health department became involved. He refused to identify the source, but said he would have done so if the threat of continued infection had been present.

"Hepatitis is an ever-present danger throughout the country," Roberts added. "We're all eating out more. We can check restaurants for some communicable diseases or for things such as temperature control, but there is no way to check on hepatitis. You can't legislate against food-borne outbreaks."

He said it is impossible to follow every employe of every restaurant to the toilet to make sure they wash their hands.

"What we have to get across is that a person can help prevent the spread of hepatitis by very close attention to personal hygiene habits.

"In food establishments, everyone has to be very particular in the manner in which they handle the foods, everyplace, from the backyard picnic or church social to the large sit-down banquets."

While stressing that personal hygiene can help prevent future outbreaks, the hepatitis virus "is a very opportunistic bug," said Roberts. "If there is any sort of a foulup in the food handling, it is going to get in there. It's a little scary."

Photographs are allowed in Alabama court

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — A newspaper photographer sat quietly in a courtroom and took pictures of a witness testifying in a robbery trial. It is believed to be the first exercise of a new rule which allows news photographs and radio and television broadcasts while the courts are in session in Alabama.

Roger Wentowski, a photographer for the Montgomery Advertiser-Journal, took the pictures Tuesday while a 10-year-old deaf mute, Karen Vance, was testifying about a drug store robbery in Montgomery.

The child, speaking in sign language which was relayed to the court by one of Karen's teachers at a special education school, identified the defendant as the driver of a getaway car.

The presiding judge, Richard P. Emmet, allowed the pictures under a new canon of judicial ethics that went into effect in Alabama Feb. 1. It allows pictures and broadcasts in the courtroom with the consent of the trial judge, defense and prosecution attorneys, the defendant and the witness.

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JEFFERSON CITY — A bill which would ban beverage cans and nonreturnable bottles apparently will go out with the trash at the end of this session of the General Assembly.

The bill, which would require all beverage containers to be returnable and carry a 2- or 5-cent deposit, has not been assigned a committee hearing date and does not seem to be eliciting any strong support.

The bill's sponsor, Rep. Wayne Goode, D-Normandy, says the purpose of the bill isn't so much to clean up litter as it is to conserve energy and natural resources.

"There's somewhat of a litter problem, but it's not much of the amount," Goode said. "It takes a lot of raw materials and energy (to produce a can). The energy used in recycling is almost as much as that used in making a new can. It's cheaper to reuse containers, than throw them away and make them over again."

But various beer interests in the state take issue with Goode's stand, saying returnable bottles wouldn't be cheaper and wouldn't require less energy.

"It would cost the people more, because it's going to cost us more," William Abram of the U.S. Brewers Association said.

"Bottle lines are much slower than canning lines. Bottles are much heavier and take up more space. It takes more space to haul bottles. Bottles have to be washed; you have to use heat with that. It will cost much more than it will save," he said.

"You're just doubling the whole thing," John Britton of Anheuser-Busch said of returnable bottles, "as far as energy is concerned, by the time you put on all the additional equipment you have to put on to lug'em back. I think everybody will have to look at it closely, if you think you're going to save energy."

Britton admits he hasn't looked at the bill very closely yet. In fact, since the bill hasn't been given a hearing date yet and therefore stands little chance of passing, he hasn't even bothered to read it.

And apathy seems to be the characteristic feeling toward the bill.

"I don't think I have had any group requests for a hearing, except from the sponsor," John Blassie, D-St.Louis, the chairman of the House Local Government and Related Matters Committee, said. "Tight now no groups have contacted me about it either way."

And some members seem only mildly in favor of the bill.

"We've had the bill for several years. I have supported it in the past," John Scott, D-St. Louis, said. "The concept and idea are good, but all sorts of problems have to be worked out."

Edward Ottinger, R-St. Louis, hasn't read the bill yet, but he opposes the concept.

"Just off-hand, 2 cents doesn't sound workable at all," Ottinger said. "If you're paying about 25 cents for it in vending machines, you're not going to return it for a few pennies."

Bud Fendler, D-St. Louis, also opposes the bill. "I'm not sure that sort of thing wouldn't cost the consumer a whole lot," Fendler said. "There's an awful lot of employment involved. You'd have to put an awful lot of people out of work."

Jim Wilson, director of the state Dept. of Natural Resources, says his department would probably support the bill, if it stood any chance of passage.

"If requested by the sponsor, more than likely we'll present testimony," Wilson said. "But let's face it. If it's not going to go anywhere, we can't spend the time on it."

Even Goode says his chances of getting the bill through are slim. "We're not going to get something like this passed until there's some real groundswell grassroots support or the leadership takes the bull by the horns," Goode said.

Public defender plan wins 1st round

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A revised state public defender program with increased funding and tighter eligibility guidelines gained tentative approval in the Missouri House Monday.

The public defender program would receive a $1 million boost in the authorized budget raising the ceiling to $2.8 annually if the bill is approved. Provisions providing for closer scrutiny of those who qualify for the tax-paid public defenders are included in the measure.

In other action, the House gave final approval and sent to the Senate a measure allowing 18-year-olds to serve alcoholic beverages to customers in places where a majority of business comes from food.

The Senate meanwhile defeated a bill which would have increased the amount of state aid allocated to local school districts for the busing of their students.

In other action, the House sent to the upper chamber a bill expanding the law on banking facility branch offices. The new measure would allow branch facilities in second and fourth class counties as well as third class counties, and increases the distance from 10 to 15 miles away from the main bank the branches may be located.

The public defender measure, which still faces final approval before going to the Senate, provides for public defenders for indigents accused of felonies or misdemeanors carrying possible jail sentences. It also provides for representation of juveniles in accordance with federal law.

The eligibility requirements were tightened because of alleged abuses in the tax-paid public defender program. Rep. Earl Schlef, D-Dellwood, sponsor of the provision, contended there are many cases in which persons who could afford an attorney are getting free legal defense under the system.

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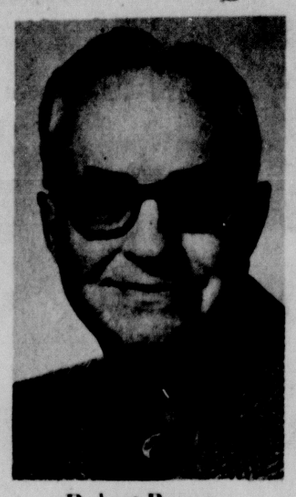

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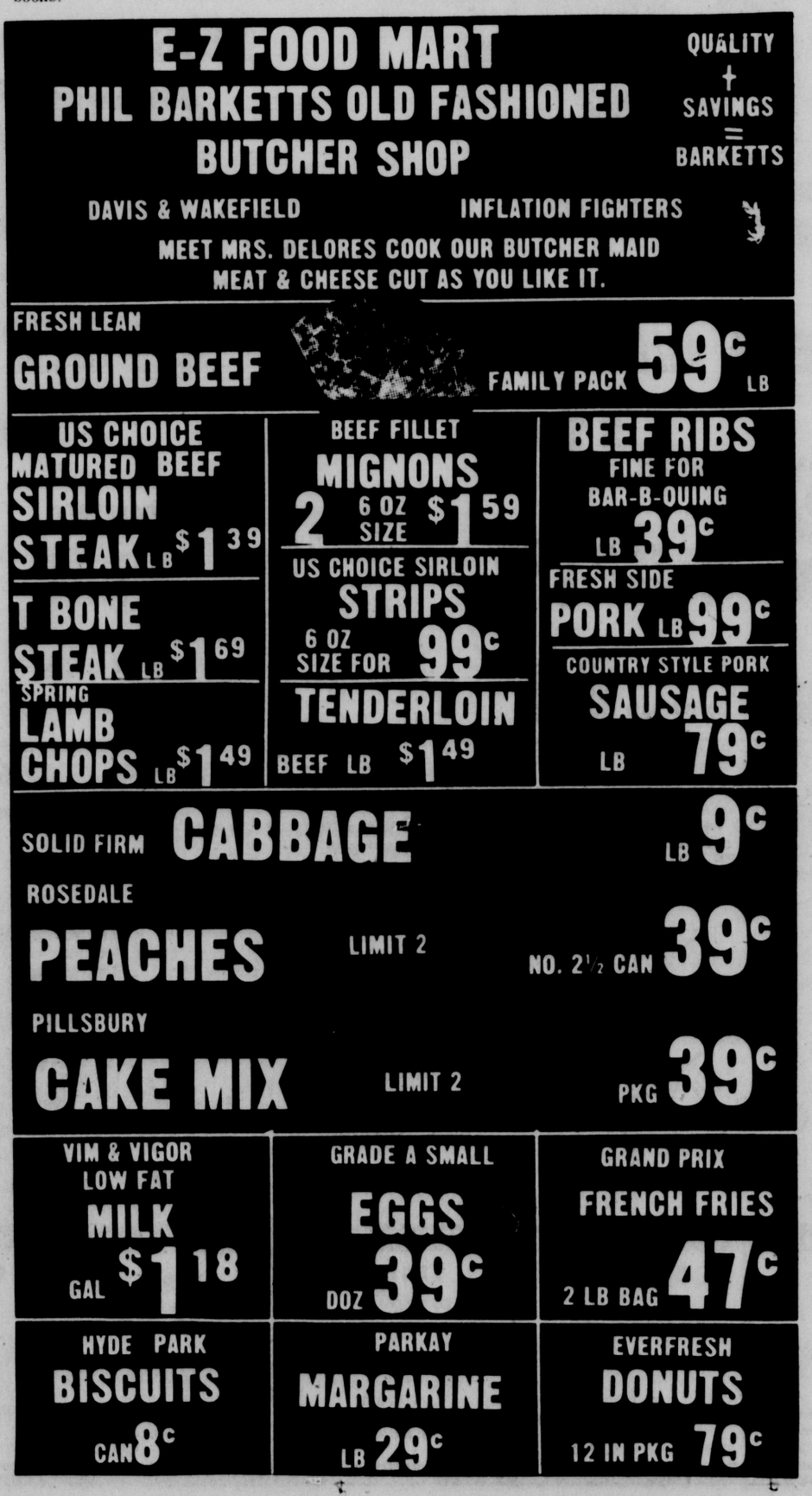

Bottle bill in danger of being dumped

JEFFERSON CITY — A bill which would ban beverage cans and nonreturnable bottles apparently will go out with the trash at the end of this session of the General Assembly.

The bill, which would require all beverage containers to be returnable and carry a 2- or 5-cent deposit, has not been assigned a committee hearing date and does not seem to be eliciting any strong support.

The bill's sponsor, Rep. Wayne Goode, D-Normandy, says the purpose of the bill isn't so much to clean up litter as it is to conserve energy and natural resources.

"There's somewhat of a litter problem, but it's not much of the amount," Goode said. "It takes a lot of raw materials and energy (to produce a can). The energy used in recycling is almost as much as that used in making a new can. It's cheaper to reuse containers, than throw them away and make them over again."

But various beer interests in the state take issue with Goode's stand, saying returnable bottles wouldn't be cheaper and wouldn't require less energy.

"It would cost the people more, because it's going to cost us more," William Abram of the U.S. Brewers Association said.

"Bottle lines are much slower than canning lines. Bottles are much heavier and take up more space. It takes more space to haul bottles. Bottles have to be washed; you have to use heat with that. It will cost much more than it will save," he said.

"You're just doubling the whole thing," John Britton of Anheuser-Busch said of returnable bottles, "as far as energy is concerned, by the time you put on all the additional equipment you have to put on to lug'em back. I think everybody will have to look at it closely, if you think you're going to save energy."

Britton admits he hasn't looked at the bill very closely yet. In fact, since the bill hasn't been given a hearing date yet and therefore stands little chance of passing, he hasn't even bothered to read it.

And apathy seems to be the characteristic feeling toward the bill.

"I don't think I have had any group requests for a hearing, except from the sponsor," John Blassie, D-St.Louis, the chairman of the House Local Government and Related Matters Committee, said. "Tight now no groups have contacted me about it either way."

And some members seem only mildly in favor of the bill.

"We've had the bill for several years. I have supported it in the past," John Scott, D-St. Louis, said. "The concept and idea are good, but all sorts of problems have to be worked out."

Edward Ottinger, R-St. Louis, hasn't read the bill yet, but he opposes the concept.

"Just off-hand, 2 cents doesn't sound workable at all," Ottinger said. "If you're paying about 25 cents for it in vending machines, you're not going to return it for a few pennies."

Bud Fendler, D-St. Louis, also opposes the bill. "I'm not sure that sort of thing wouldn't cost the consumer a whole lot," Fendler said. "There's an awful lot of employment involved. You'd have to put an awful lot of people out of work."

Jim Wilson, director of the state Dept. of Natural Resources, says his department would probably support the bill, if it stood any chance of passage.

"If requested by the sponsor, more than likely we'll present testimony," Wilson said. "But let's face it. If it's not going to go anywhere, we can't spend the time on it."

Even Goode says his chances of getting the bill through are slim. "We're not going to get something like this passed until there's some real groundswell grassroots support or the leadership takes the bull by the horns," Goode said.

Public defender plan wins 1st round

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A revised state public defender program with increased funding and tighter eligibility guidelines gained tentative approval in the Missouri House Monday.

The public defender program would receive a $1 million boost in the authorized budget raising the ceiling to $2.8 annually if the bill is approved. Provisions providing for closer scrutiny of those who qualify for the tax-paid public defenders are included in the measure.

In other action, the House gave final approval and sent to the Senate a measure allowing 18-year-olds to serve alcoholic beverages to customers in places where a majority of business comes from food.

The Senate meanwhile defeated a bill which would have increased the amount of state aid allocated to local school districts for the busing of their students.

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The public defender measure, which still faces final approval before going to the Senate, provides for public defenders for indigents accused of felonies or misdemeanors carrying possible jail sentences. It also provides for representation of juveniles in accordance with federal law.

The eligibility requirements were tightened because of alleged abuses in the tax-paid public defender program. Rep. Earl Schlef, D-Dellwood, sponsor of the provision, contended there are many cases in which persons who could afford an attorney are getting free legal defense under the system.

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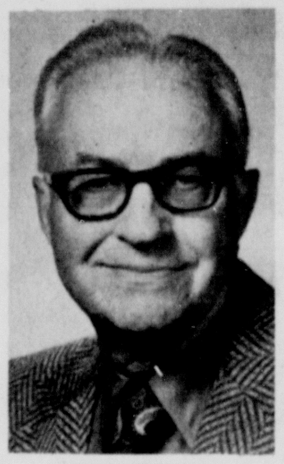

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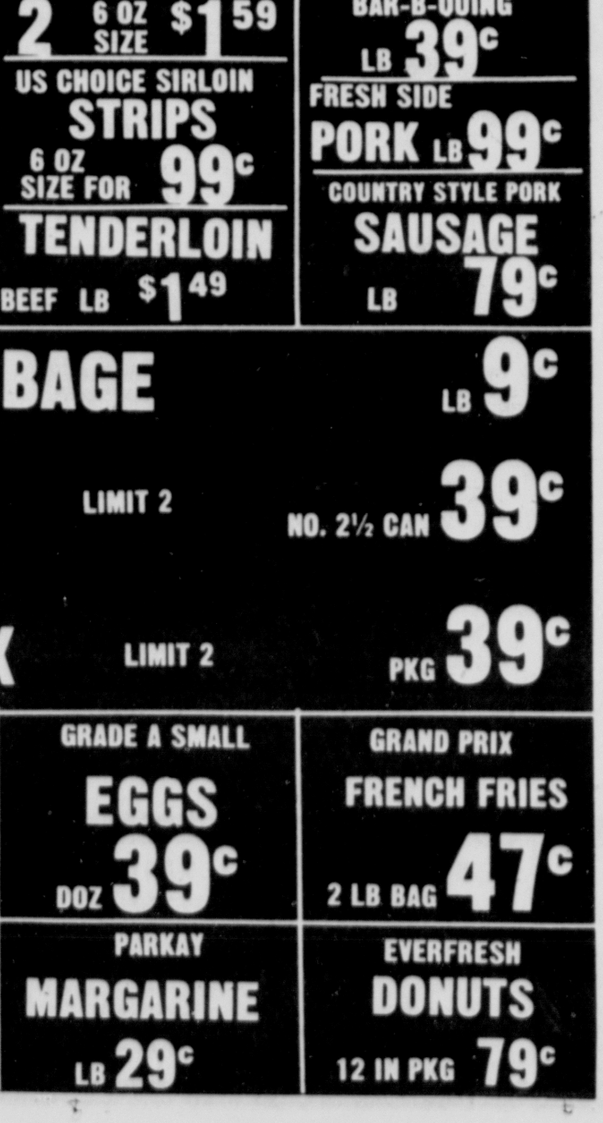

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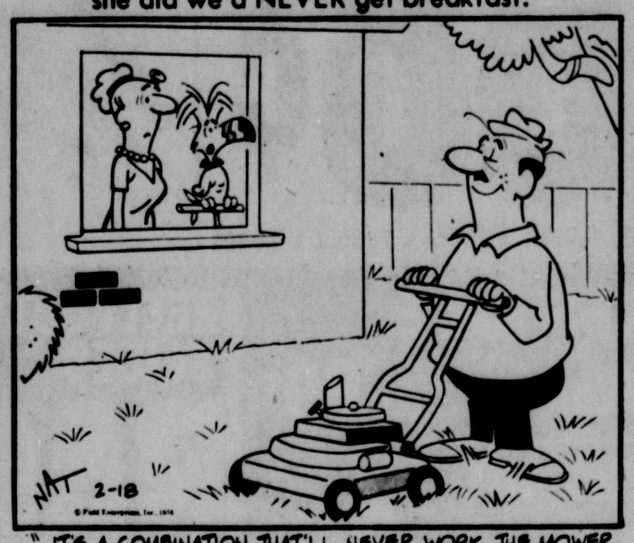

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30 Sacred bull
31 Toe (Scottish)
32 Honey maker
33 Masculine nickname
34 Used in fishing
35 Speck
36 City on Isthmus of Corinth
39 2nd-century Greek physician
40 Faucet
41 Dine
42 Vision
45 Greek plays
49 Bull (Sp.)
50 Greek letter
52 Confined
53 Newspaper paragraph
54 Grease
55 Space
56 Martha——
57 Resident of (suffix)
58 Open fabrics

DOWN

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2 And others (Latin)
3 Tendon (comb. form)
4 Ancient Greek district
5 Mistreat
6 Pitch
7 Before
8 Military cap (Fr.)
9 Thought
10 Manner of walking
11 Italian stream
19 Green vegetable
20 Latin conjunction (pl)
22 Sow
23 Soothe
24 Fencing sword
25 Edible fish
26 Inner part of Greek temple
27 Greek coin
28 Nerve network
29 Was observed
31 Journey
35 Peloponnesos cape
37 In residence (2 wds.)
38 Rodent
39 Snouted fish
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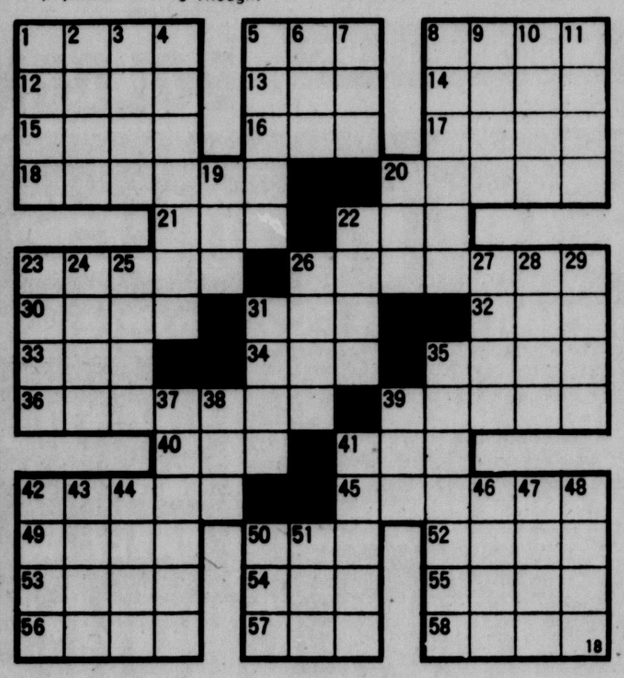

Today in U.S. history

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Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1861, Jefferson Davis was sworn in as President of the Southern Confederacy at Montgomery, Ala.

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In 1546, religion reformer Martin Luther died.

In 1564, artist Michelangelo died.

In 1685, the French explorer, La Salle, established the first settlement in Texas.

In 1915, in World War I, Germany began a submarine blockade of Britain.

In 1945, the Pacific War battle of Iwo Jima was beginning.

In 1965, the African nation of Gambia became an independent state within the British Commonwealth.

Ten years ago: The U.S. AFL-CIO maritime unions told President Lyndon Johnson they would boycott ships of all nations doing business with North Vietnam.

Five years ago: President Richard Nixon rejected proposals for nationalized health care for Americans.

One year ago: It was reported that new Soviet shipments of advanced fighter planes and other military equipment to Egypt, Syria and Iraq might alter the balance of air power in the Middle East.

Today's birthdays: Soviet President Nikolai Podgorny is 73 years old. Chief executive Brian Faulkner of Northern Ireland is 55.

Thought for today: A man is not old until regrets take the place of dreams — John Barrymore, American actor, 1882-1942.

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20 Be	50 You're	80 Power	
21 Distinguish	51 Be	81 Hunches	
22 Give	52 Gold	82 Of	
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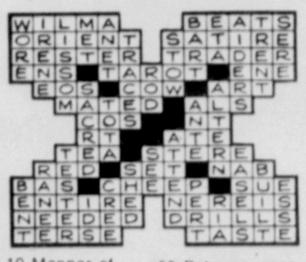

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16 Agent (suffix)
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31 Toe (Scottish)
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4 Ancient Greek district
5 Mistreat
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9 Thought
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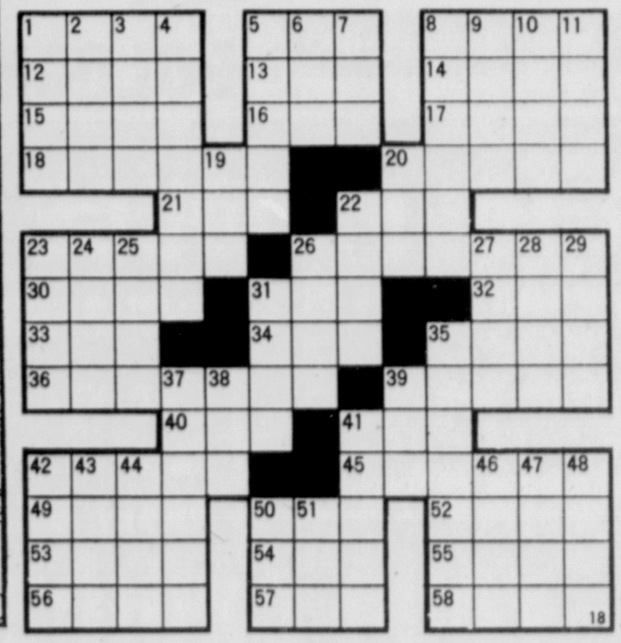
11 Italian stream
19 Green vegetable
20 Latin conjunction (pl)
22 Sow
23 Soothe
24 Fencing sword
25 Edible fish
26 Inner part of Greek temple
27 Greek coin
28 Nerve network
29 Was observed
31 Journey
35 Peloponnesos cape
37 In residence (2 wds.)
38 Rodent
39 Snouted fish
41 Roman official
42 Mix
43 Another Greek letter
44 Lady Jane—— English queen
46 Simple
47 Dill herb
48 Depots (ab.)
50 Hawaiian food
51 Take a seat



Today in U.S. history

By The Associated Press

Today is Wednesday, Feb. 18, the 49th day of 1976. There are 317 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1861, Jefferson Davis was sworn in as President of the Southern Confederacy at Montgomery, Ala.

On this date:

In 1546, religion reformer Martin Luther died.

In 1564, artist Michelangelo died.

In 1685, the French explorer, La Salle, established the first settlement in Texas.

In 1915, in World War I, Germany began a submarine blockade of Britain.

In 1945, the Pacific War battle of Iwo Jima was beginning.

In 1965, the African nation of Gambia became an independent state within the British Commonwealth.

Ten years ago: The U.S. AFL-CIO maritime unions told President Lyndon Johnson they would boycott ships of all nations doing business with North Vietnam.

Five years ago: President Richard Nixon rejected proposals for nationalized health care for Americans.

One year ago: It was reported that new Soviet shipments of advanced fighter planes and other military equipment to Egypt, Syria and Iraq might alter the balance of air power in the Middle East.

Today's birthdays: Soviet President Nikolai Podgorny is 73 years old. Chief executive Brian Faulkner of Northern Ireland is 55.

Thought for today: A man is not old until regrets take the place of dreams — John Barrymore, American actor, 1882-1942.

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THE PHAMTOM by Falk & Berry

STEVE CANYON by Milton Caniff

MARY WORTH by Saunders and Ernst

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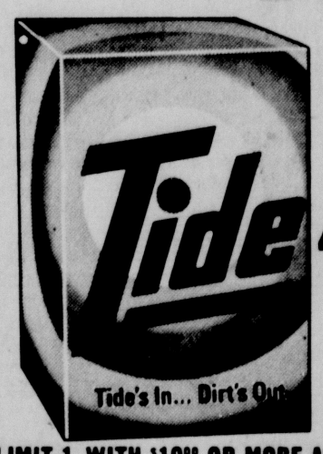

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GROUND BEEF FRESH LEAN LB 68¢ (ANOTHER MONEY SAVER)
FAMILY PAK

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HUNGRY JACK
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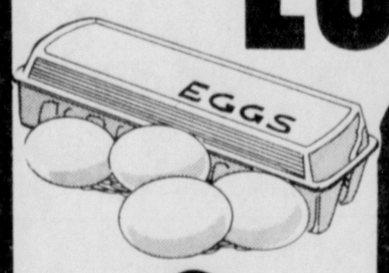

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